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For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday:
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COUNCIL DECLINES TO SUSPEND POLICE CHIEF

California Caravan Marvels At Beauties Victoria Possesses

Visitors From South Express Wonder at Scenic Attractions of Vancouver Island's Wonderland; Purpose of Trip Is to Bring Unity in Effort to Draw Tourists and Population to Pacific Coast

The main body of the Redwood Empire Pacific Coast International Caravan left Victoria, the farthest point on their itinerary, when they boarded the Ss. Sol Duc this morning. But the caravan left behind expressions of wonder and admiration, and abundant assurance of their friendship for this city and all the northwest. They feel, according to statements from many of them, that they have accomplished their mission in bringing a more friendly spirit to the people of the north and south Pacific Coast; in creating an international brotherhood which will, in time, be a tremendous force for progress.

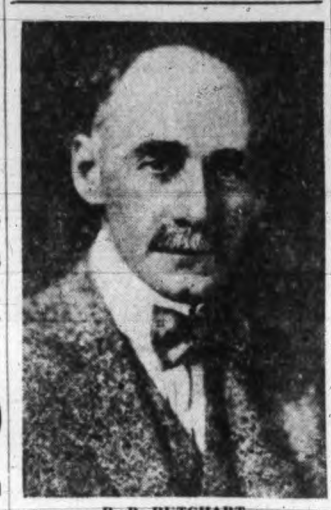
Hon. Andrew J. Gallagher, supervisor of the city and county of San Francisco, and who remained with a small party of the caravan to go farther afield here and view the wonders of Vancouver Island's southern tip, spoke for the whole body of the visitors when he said:

TRIBUTE TO CITY

"God has blessed you with a beautiful spot here in Victoria. We, who are familiar with wonderful scenery in California, pay this tribute. God planted a garden here, and after seeing Butchart's 'Benvenuto' and all the

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WILL BE OFFERED FREEDOM OF CITY



R. P. BUTCHART

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Public Recognition of Great Services Proposed By Victoria and Municipalities

In recognition of the great public services of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart, whose wonderful gardens at Benvenuto have been generously thrown open to the public for many years and have attracted international acclaim, the freedom of the City of Victoria will be offered to R. P. Butchart shortly, it is learned.

\$50,000 Ice Guess Prize Won by Three

Fairbanks, Alaska, May 7.—Lady Luck awarded \$50,000 to a woman and two men yesterday when they guessed the exact time the ice in the Tanana River would break up. The ice gave way at 4:25 p.m. The money was won by Mrs. E. Lasher and V. Borgberg of Latoche and I. B. Wickstrom of Fairbanks. Guessing the time the ice will break is the largest sporting event in Alaska and is an annual spring affair. This was one of the biggest sums ever pooled for the event. The Tanana River flows into the Yukon River.

BELGIAN FINANCIER AT PHILADELPHIA



ALFRED LOEWENSTEIN

whose visit to the United States and Canada is attracting much attention because of reported big plans for development work, is in Philadelphia to-day. He had a narrow escape from injury or death when on Saturday afternoon he was leaving the plane which had carried him to the Pennsylvania city from New York. He passed so close to one of the machine's three whirling propellers that it knocked off his hat. The picture above shows Mr. Loewenstein in riding garb.

AIRSHIP IS AT SPITZBERGEN

Italia and Crew Now at Northern Island Preparing for Flights Over Arctic

Snowstorms and Heavy Winds Met on Voyage From Vadsoe, Norway

King's Bay, Spitzbergen, May 7.—General Umberto Nobile and his crew landed their dirigible, the Italia, here at 1 p.m. yesterday, successfully completing their flight from Vadsoe, Norway, despite extremely unfavorable weather conditions.

The journey from Vadsoe, started at 8:31 Saturday night, was far from a pleasant one for the crew of the big craft, for a heavy snowfall and strong contrary winds were encountered throughout the night.

REPORTED BY RADIO

The Italia was in constant wireless communication with steamer Citta di Milano, the ship which will serve as a base for the Nobile party's Arctic flights, and the Geofysiske Institute at Tromsø, which supplied details of the weather conditions prevailing in the territory the Italia was approaching.

General Nobile plans several flights during the next two months to explore parts of the Arctic regions hitherto unexplored, or about which there is controversy. He also plans to revisit the North Pole, which he first flew over in the dirigible Norge last summer.

The explorers hope to land at the Pole.

INVESTIGATION IN VANCOUVER IS WARM DEBATE

City Council, by Vote of Four to Three, Refers Back to Commissioner Lennie His Recommendation That Chief and Detective-Sergeant Be Suspended Till the Inquiry Ends; Police Commissioner T. W. Fletcher Denies Suggestions of Intimidation

Vancouver, May 7.—Dividing four to three, with Alderman J. A. Garbutt, one of the three members of the Police Commission, declining to vote, the Vancouver City Council at a special meeting to-day decided to refer back to Commissioner R. S. Lennie his recommendation that Chief of Police H. W. Long and Detective-Sergeant George McLaughlin be suspended until the present police inquiry ends.

Alderman F. E. Woodside proposed the resolution following a discussion which had lasted an hour and a half. He was supported by Aldermen P. C. Gibbons, E. W. Dean and H. E. Almond. Those who voted "nay" were Aldermen Angus MacInnis, R. J. Paul and John Bennett. Mayor L. D. Taylor occupied the chair.

Exhibition Buildings At Saskatoon Are Burned

Saskatoon, May 7.—Creating a terrific heat and lighting the sky for miles around with a red reflection, the grandstand, administration building, new art building and all the minor buildings in the centre of the Saskatoon Exhibition grounds were wiped out by fire which broke out at 2 o'clock this morning.

The cause of the fire is unknown. It started in the grandstand and spread to the administration building and the five dining halls, arranged in a half-circle, against a strong wind. Soon after the blaze broke out, the place was a mass of flames. The buildings destroyed included the fine dining hall near the entrance to the grounds, the attractions platform, the judges' stand and the booths housed in the grandstand.

WILL REB

Syd Johns, manager and secretary of the exhibition, announced steps would be taken immediately to replace the grandstand and other buildings in time for the summer fair this year, which is to open in the latter part of July. The rebuilding will involve a considerable sum of money.

INSURANCE CARRIED

The fair directors met this forenoon and discussed the insurance on the buildings and their replacement.

All the buildings were constructed of wood and were fairly well covered by insurance.

BISHOP FALLON ILL IN TORONTO

Toronto, May 7.—Right Rev. Michael F. Fallon, Bishop of London, Ont., one of the best known Roman Catholic prelates in Canada, is in a hospital here. He has been in failing health for some time, but did not relinquish his duties to come to Toronto for treatment until Saturday. He is sixty-one years old and has been Bishop of London since 1909.

"Pirate Plot" To Seize Empress Liner In East Fails To Come To Head

A pirate plot to capture and loot the Empress of Canada, the biggest liner plying the Pacific Ocean, supposedly came to light just before the vessel left China on the voyage which ended here Sunday morning. As a result, khaki-clad British soldiers, heavily armed, patrolled the upper deck day and night as the ship steamed from Hongkong to Shanghai. At the latter port the hundreds of wealthy passengers breathed a sigh of relief as troops and rumors went ashore together.

The reports originated at Manila where it was rumored that among the hundreds of Chinese and Filipino steerage passengers aboard the Empress were a large number of the Chinese pirates who have operated for years from the coast of Hongkong. It was said that these men were to attempt to seize control of the vessel as she passed Bias Bay while pirate craft at the same time would come out to join in the attack.

PASSENGERS ALARMED

Officers of the liner of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Limited, scoffed at the reports, laughing at them as absurd, but rich Chinese booked in the first and second class were alarmed. These Chinese, it was declared by passengers on the liner's arrival here, made representations to the authorities at Hongkong who ordered five officers and about twenty-five men of the Queen's Royal Regiment to escort the ship to Shanghai. The soldiers took possession of the sun deck, established a camp there, and patrolled night and day in waiting for the bandits. None came, however, and on passing out of the danger zone the detachment was placed ashore at Shanghai.

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Prince Rupert Man Believed Drowned

Prince Rupert, May 7.—William Davie, well-known waterfront man and salmon troller, believed to have been drowned. He disappeared from his launch, at a local dock here, and despite diligent search and inquiry no trace has been found of him.

URGE PAVING ON DOUGLAS

Loan By-law to Complete All Work Simultaneously, Chamber of Commerce Suggests

Completion of Douglas Street paving this year, by means of a loan by-law, is suggested to the City Council in a letter from the Chamber of Commerce to go before the city authorities at the regular council meeting to-night.

The paving of two isolated blocks on Douglas Street, between Port and View, and between Johnson and Pandora, out of current revenue, is at present proposed by the city.

In its letter the Chamber draws attention to the effect on taxation of paying out of revenue for improvements required in major road developments, and suggests the floating of a loan to cover the cost of doing all the work on Douglas Street at once. Under this plan the wooden block should be lifted and replaced by pavement surfacing from the city's funds, for blocks in this year, while the cost of the work would be spread over a long term.

TO SETTLE MILL RATE

The final disposition of the mill rate for the year is expected to result from this evening's council meeting. The budget goes before the finance committee for recommendations for final pruning this afternoon, and will be reported back to the council to-night, with any suggestions that committee has to offer. The completed budget, as it stands at present, calls for forty-two mills on the full value of land and on fifty per cent of the value of improvements.

In a letter to the council the Victoria West Brotherhood ask reconsideration of the Songhees Park bowling green proposals, rejected by the city in estimates debate.

GRANT FOR BISHOP TEAM

The Victoria and District Military Rifle Association ask a grant in aid of sending three Victorians to compete at Bisley. Major F. Richardson, Sgt. J. H. Hogan and Sgt. H. W. Burton are named as those selected to go to Montreal shortly to join the all-Canadian rifle team for Bisley.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is suggesting to the council the a civic reception be held for the completion of the project.

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CHANGE OFFICES ACROSS THE BAY

First changes in Government offices as a result of the construction of the new Printing Bureau, Superior Street, were announced at the Parliament Buildings to-day.

The ground floor of the west wing, formerly occupied by Charles F. Banfield, King's Printer, and his staff, will be taken over by the Taxation Branch of the Finance Department, now badly crowded on the top floor of the main building and a long distance from the main offices of the department. The change will make taxation officials easily accessible to the public and give them adequate accommodation, which they lack at present.

Officials of the Provincial Board of Health and the Registry Vital Statistics will move to the top floor of the former printing bureau.

John P. Babcock, Deputy Commissioner of Fisheries, and his staff, will go to the top floor of the west wing.

Other changes in the offices of the main buildings will be announced shortly after they have been approved by the Government on the recommendation of a special House committee of officials.

Ten Thousand Fish Shipped From Japan; Three Thousand Survive Trip Across Pacific

Of 10,000 live fish which started on the long trip across the Pacific aboard the Dollar liner President Pierce in April, 3,000 were still wiggling their fins in their tanks when that vessel arrived here from the Orient to-day.

These fish are members of the trout family in Japan, first cousins to the trout of British Columbia streams. They are the Japanese "ayu" or "sal", which the Japanese Government is attempting to introduce into the rivers of the United States.

M. Tokuhisa, fisheries adviser to the Agriculture and Forestry Department of the Japanese Government, made the trip aboard the Pierce to keep a careful eye upon the shipment of ayu, which was made for experimental purposes.

GREAT SUCCESS

"So far it is a great success," Mr. Tokuhisa said. "It is a very difficult task to transport these fish out of Japan, and attempts in the past have been more or less unsuccessful, the fish usually dying on the ocean voyage."

Extreme care was taken in the arrangements for shipping the ayu. The fish were taken from the Tamagawa River, about five miles from Tokyo and to ensure the maintenance of their native conditions, water from this stream was used to transport them across the Pacific.

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NORTH CHINESE OPPOSE JAPAN

Chang's Aeroplanes Aid Nationalist Troops at Tsinan By Dropping Bombs

Shanghai, May 7.—According to a dispatch from Tsinan, capital of Shantung province, the Japanese troops this morning brought down an aeroplane of the Northern Chinese forces which was engaged in bombing the foreign settlement there. Casualties were not mentioned.

Another War Office dispatch sets the number of those murdered in the anti-Japanese demonstrations at thirteen, with twenty-eight others missing, of whom two are believed to have been murdered. Looting is said to be continuing on a small scale.

The dispatch relating to the bringing down of a Northern plane by the Japanese is the first intimation the forces under Marshal Chang Tso-lin are engaging in the fighting at Tsinan. When the fighting started last Thursday Chang offered aid to the Japanese. This was curtly refused, with the explanation that the Japanese preferred to handle the matter themselves. Later reports indicated Chang had reversed his attitude and had demanded the withdrawal of Japanese troops from Shantung.

TENSION IS HIGH

Shanghai, May 7.—To-day's dispatches from Tsinan, capital of Shantung province, China, said the atmosphere there was tense but the situation quiet.

The Northern Chinese have been bombing Tsinan spasmodically and one

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Premier to Speak Twice on Island During Week

Premier MacLean will be busy chiefly on the island this week. Wednesday night he will speak at the Victoria and District Military Rifle Association. Friday night he will speak for Norman Whittaker, Liberal candidate, in Saanich.

On Friday night Liberals of North Vancouver will be busy at a convention nominating their candidate for the Provincial election. Reeve J. M. Fromme of North Vancouver district, has been mentioned as the probable choice of the convention.

Victoria Conservatives are busy trying to get general approval from the party for their slate. This slate at present consists of the names of Hon. W. J. Bowser, F. C. Elliott, Reginald Hayward and Pat Sinnott. Mr. Hayward is at present in California, and it is not known yet definitely whether he will be able to accept the nomination.

PIONEER SCHOOL BUILDER PASSES

William Burns Died in Vancouver This Morning

Vancouver, May 7.—William Burns, well-known old-timer of this city, former inspector of schools and principal of the Vancouver Normal School, died this morning at 10 o'clock at the home of his son, Kenneth J. Burns, 4888 Angus Drive.

Mr. Burns was born in Great Britain and received part of his education in London, England, and was a graduate of the University of King's College, London.

On coming to Canada he entered Queen's University, Kingston, and was appointed science master of Port Hope High School on his graduation.

In 1892, at the request of Hon. John Robson, then Premier of British Columbia, he came to this Province to organize the school system. He continued as inspector of schools until

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200,00 Peasants Demand Government Change, But Three Regents Refuse

Bucharest, May 7.—The Roumanian Regency Council to-day refused the demand voiced by 200,000 peasants meeting at Albajulia yesterday that the Government, headed by Vintila Bratiano, resign.

Julio Maniu, leader of the peasants, who brought the demand to Bucharest, was informed the Regents saw no occasion for demanding the resignation.

In the face of a negative reply, the Peasants' Party may now adopt passive resistance toward the present Government, including the non-payment of taxes.

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Fires in Egypt Destroy Villages

Cairo, Egypt, May 7.—One person was killed and twelve seriously injured in a fire in a village near Mansura, which destroyed 230 dwellings.

Two other fires in villages in Lower Egypt destroyed fifty-six dwellings.

THREE MEN IN A LAUNCH DRIFTED FOR THREE DAYS

Prince Rupert, May 7.—The Anglican mission launch Western Hope is here after a thrilling experience off the Queen Charlotte Islands. Rev. Mr. Darby and two other men, one of whom was ill, drifted in a small boat and after seven hours of hard towing, managed to haul another boat, which gave assistance, towing the Western Hope to Ketchikan, Alaska.

GERMANS ARE NOW BUILDING ROCKET-PROPELLED PLANE

Kassel, Germany, May 4.—A rocket-propelled aeroplane, designed not to go to Mars, but only to the roof of this world's atmosphere, is in the making. It is expected that the pilot will be propelled by the Valier-Sandner system of rocket propulsion, which should carry it well above an altitude of 20,000 feet. The plane will weigh 850 pounds.

The Open Works, whose directors are planning the experiment and have engaged Anton Raab, German war flier, to act as pilot of the aeroplane, say it will be propelled by the Valier-Sandner system of rocket propulsion, which should carry it well above an altitude of 20,000 feet. The plane will weigh 850 pounds.

THE TAKE-OFF

The plane will take off at an initial speed of thirty-seven miles an hour, which will later be increased to 248 miles an hour, ascending to an altitude

ALBERTA TAX APPEAL HEARD

London, May 7. (Canadian Press Cable).—The appeal in the case of the Alberta Government against the Prescodian Collieries was heard to-day by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council and judgment was reserved. The question at issue is as to whether the Alberta Mine Owners' Tax Act of 1925 is beyond the power or authority of the province of Alberta as attempting to impose indirect taxation.

SAFECRACKERS TAKE \$123 LOOT

Vancouver, May 7.—Safe-crackers, room prowlers and petty thieves plied their trades in Vancouver during the week-end, according to police reports, three safes receiving attention from the yeggmen.

Knocking the combination from the strongbox in the office of the Merchandise Cartage Company at 716 Cambie Street, safe-crackers got away with \$120 in cash and a watch and chain, while similar tactics at the premises of the Reynolds Cartage Company at 772 Cambie Street resulted in loot amounting to only \$3, it is stated.

The safe at the premises of the Imperial Cartage Company at Pacific and Seymour Streets proved too strong for the yeggs, for, after carrying it into the yard nearby, they were unable to open it.

LITTLE JOE

SOME PLUS-FOURS DON'T ADD TO A MAN'S APPEARANCE



HUGE SUM TO BE SPENT ON NEW TUNNEL

Vancouver, May 7.—Northern Construction Company Limited and General J. W. Stewart have been awarded a contract to construct a fourteen-mile tunnel near Boston, it is announced by E. M. Boyd, secretary-treasurer of the company.

The tunnel is in connection with the water supply of the city of Boston. Construction commenced on May 1, it is estimated it will take three years to complete. A. C. Dennis, who supervised construction of the Connaught Tunnel through the Rockies, will have charge of the job.

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**NATURALIZATIONS
ARE CRITICIZED****Ontario Judge Says Canadian
Practice at Present Uneven**

Toronto, May 7.—Chief Justice Meredith, in allowing four applications for naturalization here, intimated he had applied to the Secretary of State at Ottawa for assistance in arriving at a decision affecting these aliens and that the Minister had not responded to his request.

The chief justice commented on the "very unsatisfactory state of the law and practice respecting naturalization of foreigners in Canada."

The present conditions, he said, were that an alien might apply to any judge, court authority or person as specified in the act for a decision as to his suitability to be granted the papers.

Then the applicant might or might not be granted the papers as the Secretary of State desired and the latter might, refuse, them, even though the judge might have decided favorably for the applicant.

The Secretary of State need decide only on the requisite qualifications, namely, five years' residence in Canada and "adequate knowledge" of French or English, and an intention to reside in His Majesty's Dominions.

QUESTION OF POLICY

"Is he a fit and proper person to be naturalized? Nothing in the act gives any answer to this question," said the chief justice. "It is not a question of

law, nor of common sense. It is really a question of policy of the country in which naturalization is sought. Referring to the applications before him, he stated that in his own view the least illiterate of the applicants was not fitted for naturalization, yet he gave them all favorable decisions. "It is well that our laws should be uniformly administered, that the country should be beyond reproach, yet the laws are uneven," he said.

In concluding, the chief justice stated his reasons as set out for giving such a decision might assist in procuring a more uniform policy for the administration of naturalization.

**MANILA CHINESE
VOICE PROTEST****Mass Meeting Criticizes
Japan's Course in China**

Manila, May 7.—Chinese residents of Manila at a mass meeting yesterday decided to cable the Japanese Government protesting against the defensive measures taken by Japanese in Shantung province, China, where rival groups are fighting for territory.

The Chinese also decided to carry their appeal to the League of Nations in order that further trouble might be checked.

An appeal was made at the same meeting urging the Japanese people to use their influence to check the "anti-nationalist policy" of the Japanese Government.

No local boycott on Japanese merchandise or wares, has been planned.

**INVESTIGATION IN VAN-
COUVER IS WARM DE-
BATE**

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SENATIONAL STATEMENT

Mr. Farris added the sensational statement that Police Commissioner T. W. Fletcher had told Deputy Chief Dan Leatherdale that if the chief did not "come through against the mayor," they would bring up "an old scandal against him."

"I have reliable information to the effect that a prominent citizen was told by Mr. Fletcher that 'we have nothing on Long. He will be all right if he helps us get the mayor,' said the council."

DENIAL BY FLETCHER

Allowed permission to speak, Mr. Fletcher denied the statements made by Mr. Farris.

"I have done nothing of the kind," he declared, referring to the allegation of "intimidation." "All I asked of them (the policemen) was that they tell the truth. No threats were made."

"I have nothing against Chief Long, except inefficiency. There is no suggestion of graft."

"It would be no use putting it up to the police commission," said Alderman Woodside. "The commissioners are all mentioned in the inquiry in one way or another."

QUESTION OF CONFIDENCE
Alderman MacInnis, who strongly opposed returning the report to the commissioner, sought to move that the report be concurred in, but was out of order as his motion was a negative one. His contention was that in not accepting Commissioner Lennie's recommendation the council was publicly advertising its lack of confidence in the man it had appointed to carry out the investigation. He said, however, that he did not approve all the steps that had led up to the recommendation.

"I am further of the opinion," said Alderman MacInnis, "that Mr. Lennie did not take full cognizance of the situation. I think the Attorney-General should be asked to suspend the police commission and take full charge of the police in Vancouver until this investigation is over."

Alderman Bennett held it would be a "clear reflection" on Commissioner Lennie if no action were taken on his recommendation.

"Whether he is right or wrong, he has suggested certain things and we cannot ignore him," he said. He seconded Alderman MacInnis's motion.

CHARGES OF INTIMIDATION
On request of J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., associated with Alex Henderson, Mayor Taylor's counsel, a letter from

G. G. McGeer, K.C., counsel for Commissioner T. W. Fletcher, to Mr. Lennie was read. This letter made categorical charges of intimidation in demanding the "chief's" suspension and protested against delay in recommending the suspension.

Mr. Farris inferred from this that the commissioner had intimated after the conference of Thursday noon that he was not prepared to act and that Mr. McGeer had brought extra pressure to bear. He countered with charges which he said he intended to bring before the inquiry by evidence that Commissioner Fletcher had been making threats.

Throughout the entire session the discussion revolved around Chief Long, the name of Sergeant McLaughlin being mentioned only incidentally.

RATEPAYER HEARD
Robert Bolam of the Central Ratepayers' Association, here asked for permission to speak. There was some objection taken by members of the council, but he was finally granted the privilege by a vote of the council.

"Gentlemen, you appointed a commissioner and a council to conduct this investigation," he said. "The inquiry has proceeded and the commissioner has submitted an interim report, asking that two men be suspended. The commissioner does not say these two men are guilty, but recommends their suspension until the inquiry is over."

"If you wish to win the confidence of the public you should take this action. If you have confidence in your commissioner and his council, as you said you had before the inquiry opened, then you should not deny his request," he continued.

"If you don't take this action," declared Mr. Bolam, "you as much as say that 'we have no confidence in you.'"

MCGEER'S LETTER
The following letter, addressed to Commissioner R. S. Lennie, dated May 4, signed by G. G. McGeer, K.C., counsel for Commissioner Fletcher, was read to the council:

"Dear Sir—My understanding of yesterday's proceedings was as follows: 'In the presence of Mr. A. H. McNeill and Mr. George E. McCrossan, I made an application to you that an interim report be filed with the council of the city of Vancouver recommending the suspension of Chief of Police Long and Sergeant of Detectives George McLaughlin.'"

"The matter was fully discussed and fully canvassed and all counsel agreed."

DISORGANIZATION SEEN
1. That under the present chief and Sergeant McLaughlin the police organization in Vancouver was completely demoralized and in a deplorable and pitiable condition.

2. That the police force has lost its morale and esprit de corps.

3. That Mr. McNeill states that in his knowledge there had been actual intimidation of witnesses.

4. That the continuance of the present chief and Sergeant George McLaughlin in their present positions

would have the effect of preventing evidence coming out in the investigation and of preventing witnesses from giving evidence freely.

"With the consent of Mr. McNeill and Mr. McCrossan my application was granted, and it was agreed that we should adjourn from Thursday afternoon until Tuesday for the purpose of permitting the report to be filed with the City Council and in turn forwarded to the police commissioners so that they have time to act before any further evidence was taken."

FORM AGREED ON

"At the close of the session I attended with Mr. McCrossan at your chambers and the form of the recommendation was agreed upon, and it was understood, at the request of Mr. McCrossan, that the recommendation would be forwarded to the City Hall yesterday afternoon."

"In the face of these facts you will not doubt appreciate my astonishment when you informed me this morning that you still had the matter under consideration."

"If there had been any question of your willingness to act, after the matter was so fully canvassed and agreed upon, I would never have agreed to an adjournment. Nothing, in my opinion, could be more detrimental to a proper investigation in this matter at this moment than your reversing your decision of yesterday's date or delaying it in any way whatsoever."

URGE PAVING ON DOUGLAS

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ment of U.S.S. Pennsylvania, due here during May 24 festivities.

Leith, Murray & Company, a Vancouver firm which secured the contract for the supply of cast iron pipe for the waterworks department, has bonded itself in the sum of \$10,317 for the faithful performance of contract. The council will be informed in a letter from its legal advisers. The bond was taken out with the U.S. Fidelity and Guarantee Company, and is conditional to the city's acceptance of the tender for a new type of centrifugally spun pipe made by a Bavarian house.

NAMED AFTER CITY

By the Orient Steamship Company the launching of the Ma-Victoria, a new 8,200-ton motorship for Pacific Coast service which took her maiden voyage on Saturday, was being celebrated by the city. The council is thanked for its cordial good wishes for the success of the craft that was named after the capital of the Province, and which will enter the Pacific Coast route in July.

Tenders for the supply of 3,400 feet of boulevard hose will be opened tonight.

PARTIES TILT IN ROUMANIA

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From Albajulia peasants were marching on Bucharest to-day to demand a change of government.

After the Sunday meeting of 200,000 peasants and laborers had sworn to do everything possible to remove the present Government and had broken up in confusion, the crowd lingered for two hours while several leaders made fiery speeches. Then two long columns started a five-day hike for Bucharest, 175 miles to the southeast. Ten fighting aeroplanes flew over Albajulia surveying the ranks of the peasants as they trudged toward the capital.

CARRY NO ARMS

It was stated each peasant was participating in the march on his own initiative and without the authorization of Julio Maniu, leader of the National Peasant Party. The march on Bucharest was regarded as a popular manifestation and since the marchers were unarmed, no bloodshed was expected.

Maniu, Michelanti and other leaders reached the capital ahead of the peasants by traveling by railroad. An Associated Press correspondent who rode from Klausenburg toward Bucharest met many peasants moving toward the capital with banners which were unfurled. Others were sitting around campfires by the roadside.

OATH TAKEN

At the gathering yesterday the peasants, with raised hands, took this oath: "We swear to the great and good God to fight a righteous fight against the Government, which is a plague to this country and which was nominated by a decree wrong from King Ferdinand on his deathbed. We swear a new Rumania shall be created which shall stand for freedom and justice to all of Rumania's brave sons."

TROOPS ON GUARD

To frustrate any attempt at open revolution, the Government employed 10,000 troops at strategic points outside the city with machine guns and aeroplanes. No attempt was made, however, to molest the peasants.

STATEMENT BY BRATIANO

Premier Bratiano, at Bucharest, termed the Peasant Congress merely an episode in the Opposition's fight against the Government, which he said enjoyed the confidence of the people.

One resolution passed by the congress was interpreted meaning that Maniu should obtain power he might recommend abolition of the regency, which rules for the six-year-old King, Michael, and this in time might leave the door open for former Crown Prince Carol, either as a Regent or as King. Meetings similar to that at Albajulia, held at Jassy, Braila and other centers, will offer the highest honor in the disposal of any municipal regime to the founders of the gardens at Benvenuto.

Thousands of residents and tourists pass through the grounds each year; while from every corner of the world come letters from those who have passed through the grounds and have remembered the wonder of that experience.

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Vancouver, May 7.—Captain P. H. Slade, master of the barge Bingham, was instantly crushed to death between two great logs in English Bay at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

The barge had just arrived from the Queen Charlotte Islands with a cargo of spruce logs and was discharging them overboard to be rafted to mills on False Creek. Captain Slade slipped between two logs which were being wired to hoist, and they rolled together.

Captain Slade was a native of Newfoundland, about forty-five years of age, and was a master mariner. He had been employed by the Pacific (Coyle) Company on the Bingham for about six months. He leaves a widow and family in Newfoundland.

**PIONEER SCHOOL
BUILDER PASSES**

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In 1901, when he resigned to organize the Provincial Normal School here, teachers' training institute. He was principal of the Normal School for twenty-one years when he retired. He is survived by four sons, Kenneth H. Burns, general superintendent of the Vancouver Harbor Board; R. R. Burns and F. M. Burns of Omaha, and Edgar J. Burns of Portland, and one daughter, Dr. Margaret Burns, Ogden. One son died, Arthur Murdoch Burns, who was city editor of The Vancouver Sun. Two other sons, Captain Robert Burns and William Burns, also died some years ago.

Mr. Burns was prominent in Masonic circles. He was a thirty-third degree Mason, Grand Historian of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, and Past Master of Mount Herman Lodge. He was also Grand Secretary of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Vancouver.

**R. P. BUTCHART
TO BE OFFERED
CITY FREEDOM**

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In view of the fact that all districts of the city and its environs have shared equally in the pleasure of the wonderful gardens, which are acknowledged to be one of the chief show places of Vancouver Island, Sanich was invited by the city to institute the proceedings under which all four municipalities will offer the highest honor in the disposal of any municipal regime to the founders of the gardens at Benvenuto.

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In exchange for these fish, the United States fisheries department has made shipments of shad from Pacific Coast rivers to the Far Eastern country.

Mr. Tokuhisa was met on the arrival of the Pierce here by Y. Kanazawa of the Jackson Fish and Oyster Company of Seattle, who will aid him in making arrangements for the disposal of the fish.

There was also a shipment of 200 ayu fish aboard the Pierce, of which 180 survived the ocean trip.

**CALIFORNIA CARAVAN
MARVELS AT BEAUTIES
VICTORIA POSSESSES**

(Continued from page 1)

natural wonders of this place, I can say that the people here have embellished his handiwork.

"We are going to urge when we get home a close and immediate study of the Butchart's gardens," he went on, "for they are unique."

"I had not seen Victoria for twenty years and I am amazed at its spread, at its industry and its hospitality. 'I have been startled by the timber resources of this locality.' They are immense," he said.

CARAVAN'S OBJECTS
"Our object," Mr. Gallagher went on, "is to sell the whole of the Pacific Coast ultimately, to the world's tourists, to urge upon the people of other parts the advantage of seeing the beauties we have to offer, and to impress upon them the desirability of living here. To this end we are trying to unite the whole of the Pacific Coast. Our purpose is, as Lieutenant-Governor Randolph Bruce so aptly put it, to wipe out of our calculations that imaginary boundary line which separates two great peoples. There is no boundary line in nature. And it is nature which in this instance is our biggest asset."**VICTORIA UNIQUE**
"What has Victoria got to offer the world traveler?" asked Mr. Gallagher. "The people know what they have. But the world does not. We have seen it now, and we hope to be able to send thousands of people, through our travel bureau's efforts, to enjoy the scenery which we ourselves have glimpsed in our short visit. It is, in fact, a duty. There is so much here for the world to enjoy. It would be a crime to keep it to ourselves."

To-night Mr. Gallagher and others of his party will meet Mayor J. C. Pendray and members of the City Council. Mr. Gallagher is anxious to talk of city problems with the Mayor and to compare conditions here with those of San Francisco.

MUCH IMPRESSED
C. A. Phenagor, one of the party which left here this morning, said: "We are more impressed with Vancouver Island than any other place we have seen."

J. L. Anderson, hotel man of San Luis Obispo, added: "I am coming back here next summer. I want to take a month and see the beauties of this island. What I have seen of Victoria has aroused a desire for more."

"We ought to work in unison, we people of the south and north. We have something wonderful to give the world. Our country is a sort of treasure-box filled with a thousand gems of nature. We have been liberally endowed. Never have I seen anything like this Canadian west. Victoria is the 'crowning glory.'"

MANY WILL COME
As a result of the trip of this California cavalcade, thousands of tourists may be expected to be routed through the Pacific Northwest from the South this year, and in years to come, according to Leo Lebendau of Eureka, California.

"The personal contact we have made here is valuable," he said, "it works both ways. We have learned much on this trip. And it has not been all pleasure. But the results are satisfactory and will, I think, be far-reaching."

Ss. Princess Kathleen takes an excursion to Seattle Saturday, May 12, leaving at 9 a.m.

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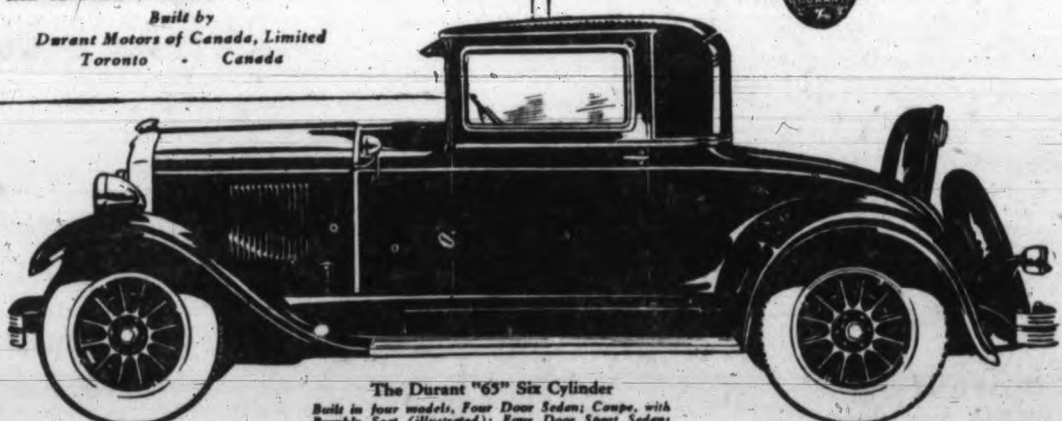
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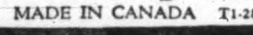
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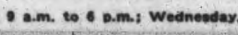
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ST. MARGARET'S HAS NEW HEAD

Mrs. Patterson Succeeds Miss Barton Who Is Leaving For England

Regret at the forthcoming departure for England of Miss Barton, head mistress of the school for many years, was expressed by Mrs. L. de S. Duke, vice-president, at the annual meeting of the Old Girls' Association in St. Margaret's School on Saturday last. Miss Barton received from Mrs. Duke, on behalf of the members, a bouquet of sweet peas and in acknowledging it expressed the hope that the old girls would keep ever before them the memory and fine example of the Misses Penwick, who had founded the school. Miss L. K. Cotworth, former gymnastic mistress of the school, welcomed Mrs. Patterson, the new headmistress, as honorary vice-president of the association. Several suggestions for the coming year's activities were discussed and plans made for bridge parties to be held in aid of the Solarium, which is the special interest of the association. A scheme for life membership was also brought forward.

Officers chosen for the association for the year were: President, Mrs. Barton; honorary vice-president, Mrs. Patterson; president, Miss Ruth Jones; vice-president, Miss Annie Miller; secretary-treasurer, Miss Sybil Fraser. The secretary, Miss Aline Stewart Williams, read the annual report. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. A short and well-arranged programme by the "present" girls was much enjoyed. Jean Shepard and Enola Moss sang the song of the year.

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LESS TROUBLOUS TIMES IN CHINA

Lieut.-Col. R. G. Clarke Back After Years of Service; Trouble on Wane

Through active military life, unless his country goes to war, Lieut.-Col. R. G. Clarke, C.M.G., D.S.O., is returning to England from China after years of service in the Far East as officer commanding the Queen's Own Regiment. Col. Clarke was aboard the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada when that vessel docked here early yesterday morning from China. Questioned as to whether or not the Japanese intervention was calculated to cause ill-feeling in China against Japan, Col. Clarke said that it was impossible to estimate the matter. In some parts, he thought, feeling was strong. He would not venture an opinion as to whether other nations would become embroiled in the event of further trouble.

He suggested, however, that Britain and other powers would take every precaution to protect her nationals and the foreign population of China.

W.M.S. WORKER TO ARRIVE TUESDAY

Miss Pelton, Presbyterian Field Secretary, to Address Group

Miss Laura Pelton, field secretary of the western division of the W.M.S. of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, will arrive in Victoria tomorrow and during her stay here will be the guest of Mrs. Cotford, 225 Sunnyside Avenue. Miss Pelton will give a report of the work of the W.M.S. during the past year. She will speak at the Chinese Mission Wednesday morning, and on Wednesday evening at a general meeting of the St. Andrew's Church; on Thursday afternoon at Sooke, and Thursday evening at Knox Church. On Friday evening at 8 o'clock Miss Pelton will speak to the C.G.I.T. group of St. Paul's Church, and will leave Saturday morning for Nanaimo. From there she will go to Vancouver to attend the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society.

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LOVE KIDNAPING—Kidnaped by a would-be husband, Edna Baker of McKinnon, Cal., insists Kenneth Erskine is a gentleman. When he bundled her into an automobile took her to Reno, and she refused all over again to marry him, he bought her a ticket home, and now she is back, and continuing her plans to marry—Erskine's rival, Arthur Miles.

SOCIAL PERSONAL

PRETTY WEDDING AT CATHEDRAL

Miss Margaret McMillen Becomes Bride Saturday of John Riddell

On Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, at Christ Church Cathedral, the marriage took place of Miss Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McMillen, Woodstock Avenue, and Mr. John Riddell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Riddell, Simcoe Street. Dean C. S. Quantin officiated at the ceremony and for the occasion a profusion of Spring flowers had been arranged in the cathedral under the supervision of Mrs. A. B. McNeill and other friends of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride made a fascinating picture in her wedding gown of ivory flat crepe, simply fashioned in long-waisted style, with the flare skirt shirred to the bodice. A scarf of the crepe, with hem of silver lace hung gracefully from the left shoulder and touches of orange blossoms on one shoulder and at the waist line in front of the bodice, gave an artistic touch to the gown. Her veil of soft silk net was attached to her head with a circlet of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was a shower of Ophelia roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Mildred Smith, of Vancouver, was bridesmaid and wore a French hand-made frock of peach-colored georgette, simply fashioned and adorned with a delicate pattern embroidered in rose pink and Nile green silk. A hat of mohair to match was worn by Miss Smith and her bouquet was a sheaf of tulips and snapdragons in colors to correspond with her frock.

The groom was supported by Mr. Andrew Macchlin, and the ushers were Mr. Ben McMillen, brother of the bride, and Mr. Harold Davenport.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 1140 Woodstock Avenue, where Mrs. McMillen, wearing a gown of rose flat crepe and lace to match, and black cellophane straw hat trimmed with lace, was assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. Riddell, in a figured henna crepe de Chine gown and hat to match. The handsome wedding cake centred the supper table, which had for floral decoration a color scheme of yellow tulips enhancing the arrangements.

In the reception, an archway was erected under which the bridal party stood to receive their guests, and this was formed of asparagus fern and pink tulips and roses. Mrs. J. J. Grant, Mrs. Norman Lord and Miss Alex Martin assisted in serving the refreshments at the reception. The bride and groom left for the mainland en route by motor for Southern California and on their return will make their home in Victoria. For traveling, the bride wore an ensemble suit of Kasha cloth with hat to match.

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL RECITAL PROVES SUCCESS

On Friday and Saturday evenings at the B.C. Dramatic School a studio recital was held, large audiences attending on both evenings. Jean Bennett's stirring poem, "Quebec," was the opening number, recited charmingly by Kenneth Gordon. "The Minuet," a graceful number in quaint costume of old rose, was given by Dorothy Cox, receiving much applause. Sandro Bullock-Webster in "Knights and Ladies," and "Invisability," test numbers from the Musical Festival in which he distinguished himself, were greatly appreciated. Helen Coton following with "The Wind Dancer," by Wilfrid Campbell; Margaret Goldsmith in "Roadways" (Masfield), and Ted Coton in "A Dutch Picture" and "Vital Lamp" formed the final group in the first part of cleverly recited poems.

A one-act play, "Me and My Diary," distinguished throughout by sparkling humor and spontaneous acting, with marked understanding of the various parts, delighted the audience. The cast included Geraldine Ruthford, Shaw, Claire Landale, Barbara Grant, Lynda Langdale, Dorothy Cox, W. A. Patterson, stage manager, Dorothy Cox.

Lillia Toye recited Bliss Carman's "Trees," Valentine Harlow's "Mystery," and Lily Alice Le Fevre, and Stella Cunningham, "Daffodils." A very popular feature of the varied programme was an impromptu debate in which Jack Butts, W. A. Patterson, Douglas Cobbett and Henry Worthington distinguished themselves on the first evening. Roy Goldfinch replacing Jack Butts on the second evening.

Hazel Wright appeared on the second evening in "The Wind Dancer," and Victoria Ebbas Canavan in "Moving Day." Erna Falk in "Georgian Days" was warmly applauded; Margaret Whyte (winner of the Wilson scholarship) gave "The Seafish Gobbler," followed by Nesta Carter in "The Elf in the Forest" and Roy Goldfinch in "Advice of Polonius to Laertes."

"The New Poor," a delightful one-act comedy, was presented as the final number on the programme, the parts being admirably taken by Noel Cusack, Noel Jones, Lorna Coton, Mrs. J. W. Davis and Phyllis Taylor. Miss Taylor also acted as stage manager, and the cast left nothing to be desired in their finished and spirited presentation of a highly amusing situation.

Street Revenge
Husband—Why did you keep so close to Mrs. Jones all the time at the party? I thought you disliked her?
Wife—I hate her, dear! But didn't you notice how my green frock simply killed her yellow one?

Lecture on "Atheism"—William H. Griffiths lectures to-night on "Atheism and Atheism" in the Jones Building, Fort Street. The lecture is under the auspices of the Victoria Independent Theosophical Society, and is free to the public. Open discussion of the subject will follow the lecture. The meeting begins at 8 o'clock.

Rummage Sale—A rummage sale will be held in the St. Alban's Hall, corner of Belmont and Ryan Streets, May 11, at 1:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S AFFAIRS

SATURDAY'S PRETTY BRIDE



MRS. JOHN RIDDELL (nee Margaret McMillen)

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Campbell left on Saturday for Qualicum Beach to spend a week's vacation there.

Miss Marjorie Alexander returned to Duncan on Friday after visiting friends at Parkville for the past week.

Mrs. John W. Eddy of Seattle has been spending the week-end in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. Prescott Oakes.

Mrs. F. A. Darling and children arrived in Victoria on Saturday from York, England, to join Mr. Darling and will make their future home here.

Mrs. Byers and her son, Raymond, of Sidney, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. H. Williams, 429 John Street.

Mrs. J. C. Miller, Yates Street, left last evening for the mainland en route to Harrison Hot Springs to spend several weeks' holiday.

Mrs. Gardiner of Winnipeg, who has been visiting in Victoria as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. McIntosh, Shaasta Avenue, will leave tomorrow for her home in Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ciceri (nee Ella Simpson) returned to Victoria last evening from Mercer Island, Washington, where they have been spending the last week.

Miss Dorothy Gossman, who has been in the employ of the Royal Investment Securities Limited, is leaving for Vancouver where she will take up a similar position.

Mr. J. R. Park of Seattle will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sinnott, Selkirk Avenue, for a few days. Mr. Park is en route to his home, after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. W. Thomson, of Hope, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Shorney of Shebbear, England, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sylvia Margaret, on Sunday, May 6. Mrs. Shorney was formerly Miss Dorothy Boyden of Victoria.

Mrs. Jerome Barber of Vancouver, returned yesterday afternoon to her home on the mainland after visiting for a few days in Victoria as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Davidson, Chamberlain Street.

Mrs. Robert Scott of Los Angeles, accompanied by Baby Joan Scott, after visiting in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. T. A. Brown, Monterey Avenue, will leave tomorrow for Salt Spring Island on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scott.

Among those who will leave Victoria tomorrow for Vancouver to attend the convention of the P.E.O. Sisterhood, will be Mrs. M. R. Pearce, Mrs. A. E. Taylor, Mrs. A. S. Lock, Mrs. Cliff, Mrs. H. English, Mrs. A. Armstrong and Mrs. V. L. Denton.

Miss Rispin of Chatham, Ontario, who has been spending the last two months in Victoria as the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Templeton, Linden Avenue, left this afternoon for the mainland en route to her home in Ontario.

Mrs. Humble-Birkett of Stubbings Court, Derbyshire, England, formerly Sylvia Margaret, on Sunday, May 6, of Victoria, arrived in the city on the liner Empress of Canada, and will be the guests of Mrs. John W. Eddy on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick B. Pemberton will go over to Seattle for the annual flower show arranged by the Garden Club next week, and while in the Sound city will be the guests of Mrs. R. D. Merrill. Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Row will be the guests of Mrs. John W. Eddy for the show. Mr. Pemberton and Mrs. Row will both act as judges at the invitation of the Garden Club.

CLUB AND NEWS

NANAIMO GIVES BAND WELCOME

Mayor and Council Entertained Junior Pipers at Luncheon Sunday

Nanaimo gave a rousing and hospitable welcome to the 16th Canadian Scottish Junior Pipe Band and their escort of citizens who paid a visit to the northern city yesterday. The cavalcade of merrymen left Wharf Street at 8 o'clock, headed by the band, and proceeded to Duncan and Ladysmith, where, at the boundaries of the city the band left their cars and marched through the streets to the further boundaries, playing as they marched. Their progress was followed with enthusiastic interest by the townspeople at both places.

On arrival at Nanaimo, the cavalcade was welcomed by the Mayor, and the members of the band and the citizens who accompanied them, thirty-one in all, were entertained most hospitably by the Mayor and City Council at a luncheon at the Malaspina Hotel. After luncheon, the boys paraded through the city playing their pipes to the entertainment of the crowds of citizens. An interesting little incident occurred when the band was passing a Sunday school, the scholars and their teachers, to the number of about 22, turned out to give three rousing cheers for the band.

The visitors left Nanaimo for Victoria at 4 o'clock, after a most enjoyable visit in the Coal City.

GIRL DISAPPEARS; SUICIDE FEARED

Beautiful Chinese Missed From Empress Boat; Left Letters

A Chinese puzzle, created by the disappearance of a beautiful girl, who had boarded the Empress of Canada when the liner made port here Sunday from the Far East.

The tragedy happened when the vessel was steaming from Hongkong to Shanghai. The girl, twenty-five years old, exquisitely attired and bedecked, apparently took her own life by jumping into the sea, but her motive remained a secret. A military guard patrolling the upper deck in the quiet of the night, saw her make the plunge. The ship was stopped and search was made, but no trace of her was discovered.

Two letters were found in her cabin. One was an open note stating that she had thrown all her belongings overboard. The other was a sealed letter addressed to the son of a high Chinese general at Canton, it was believed.

It was reported among the passengers, as one explanation, that the girl was a political refugee who had fled from Shanghai. Others said in the incident a hopeless love affair in which an ocean grave was preferred to life without her lover.

Kilpatrick (Vancouver), Miss Alice Wilford (Portland), Miss Gwendolyn Lewis (Vancouver), Miss Marie Mecklen (Portland), Miss Dorothy Findlay (Seattle), Miss Sheila Tisdall (Somenos), Miss Nora Tolson, Miss Nancy Adams (Seattle), Miss G. Garesche, Miss Constance Code, Miss Alice Code, Miss Phyllis Woodward, Miss Phyllis Roberts, Miss Ruth Jones, Miss M. Chadwick, Miss Long, Miss Townsend, Miss Morden, Miss Eileen Shaw, Miss Patsy Heming, Miss Dolly Payne, Miss Margaret Field (Chilliwack), Miss Zora McNab (Waldo), Miss Helen and Nora Wilson, Miss Marion Wilson, Miss M. Innes, Miss M. Haynes, Miss Sybil Fraser, Miss Ida Hanington (Kimberley), Miss Eileen Money, Miss Iris Goddard, Miss Jean Cotter, Misses Helen and Kathleen Colman and Misses Frances Johnson.

Miss Kitty Care, Mr. V. Reid and Mr. T. Henderson were the winners of the guessing contest at Hamsterley-Lakeside on Saturday night, when nearly two hundred dancers were attendance. The Wednesday evening dances will commence this week. Among those noticed on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Foss, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heimeken, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Dr. and Mrs. Allan Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kingham, Mrs. S. Sherratt, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Sehl, Mrs. W. Merston, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gropp, Mr. and Mrs. E. Neville, the Misses Kathleen Gray, Violet Fairley, K. Smith, Mary Sutherland, Mervin Baulston, Louise Pollard, Helen Hayward, Doris Flimley, Doris Daniels, Muriel Daniels, M. Murray, Heppell, Hiel, Renee Glass, B. A. Ritchie, A. Stevenson, A. E. Limmer, Doris Gibson, Ona Duncan, Wilma Henderson, Emma Collett, Marjorie Hulke, May Mackay, Edythe Dunn, Doris Chambers, Jennie Turner, Bee McMillan, Margaret Otto, D. Gilman, Frances Thomas, Beryl McCulloch, McGregor, A. Dunn, L. MacEachern, O'Neill, O. Gilman, Nora MacEachern, G. McDonald, N. Price, F. Sandry, Esther Cowie, Joe Perry, Marjorie Foster, Helen Catterall, Mae Dinsdale, Marjorie Bell, Eleanor Parfitt, J. Fairclough, and Messrs. C. Sutton, J. Barley, P. Fowler, D. E. McDonald, J. Bradley, Jack Scott, J. Edwards, J. Sherratt, Robin Knight, D. Drake, Lemm, M. B. D. King, Bob Mee, Ed. Mallek, A. W. Mellor, A. Kinch, S. Buckle, Harry Jones, G. Douglas, H. J. Phillips, Miller, J. Talbot, Ted Edwards, C. Wrightman, B. Nicholls, W. S. Lambert, E. Barry-Stell, J. Broder, John R. Hall, A. C. Pitts, W. B. Leach, A. Sluby, H. P. Estlin, A. B. Food, J. Creenan, Frank Mellan, A. S. C. Pitts, Peter D. Bell, J. R. P. Hedley, D. Hagar, Ernest Ramsay, H. Varman, Ken Shapland, S. Sherratt, F. Sherratt, T. Dickinson, S. Raven, J. M. McKennie, T. J. Macher, G. R. Matthews, B. W. Beaumont, N. G. Randall, V. F. Bendrodt and J. Edwards.

Members of St. Margaret's Old Girls' Association held their third annual luncheon at David Spencer's Limited on Saturday, when those seated at the prettily-decorated tables included Miss Barton, Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Mrs. L. S. Duke, Miss P. Patterson, Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, Miss F. O. Barton, Mrs. Rixon (Port Angeles), Mrs. W. C. Merston, Mrs. A. Heimeken, Mrs. Shandley, Mrs. Roger Wilson, Jimmie Isobel White, Nora Prudden, Sheila Stewart, Wilma Henderson, Gwen Doran, Marjorie Hughes Elaine and Eva Moore, Dorothy Davidson, Louise Pollard, Merrill (Vancouver), Elaine Gallagher, Rhoda and Zita Clark, Noel Cusack, Aileen Thain, Lillian Welsh, Thelma Jones and Ruth Jenkins. Messrs. Bill Pollard, Bob Thompson, J. Hall, Maurice Humber, Benny Monk, Ronald Cruickshanks, Bud Fisher, George Officer, Gerry Sandy, Dan Hadford, Bill Oliver, Bert Nichols, Art Maynard, Kurt Freewick, Noel Jones, Burr Henderson, Bert Higgs, Denis Macdonald, Robin Knight, Ted Carey, Elsie and Roger Armstrong, Ken Darbyshire, Bill Lambert, Denis Hagar, Harry Bapty, Dick Jones Ken Moore, Ken Darbyshire, and others.

Women's Conservative Association—Mrs. S. Bowden will give a paper on immigration at the meeting of the Women's Conservative Association, to be held in the headquarters to-night.

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Lake Hill Dance—A gingham dance will be held in Lake Hill Community Hall on Wednesday evening under the direction of the social committee. At this dance gingham frocks will be worn by the ladies and flannels or informal dress will be correct for gentlemen. Ozard's three-piece orchestra will supply music for dancing from 9 to 1 o'clock, and refreshments will be served.

To Hold Bridge Party—The Altar Society of St. Andrew's Cathedral will hold a bridge and five hundred party in David Spencer's limited private dining-room on Tuesday, May 15, at 3 o'clock. Players are requested to bring their own cards and scores.

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BEAUTY

How and Why
By ANN ALYSIS

The first beauty that the eye recognizes is beauty of proportion. That is why we are offended by too much fat.

If we should become fat very suddenly, over night for instance, what a shock that would be to us as well as to our friends—and what desperate means we should take to free ourselves from such ugliness. But fat accumulation is an insidious and gradual process, so gradual that we do not realize how far we have departed from our original proportion until some chance comment reaches our ears.

Many bodily defects may be concealed by artistic arrangement of clothes, hair and dress accessories, but fat is something that forces itself on one's attention. If we wish to return to a normal figure, strict measures for correction must be taken at once. A great deal may be done by wearing frocks whose long lines and broken expanses are antitheses to torso bulk, and we should take advantage of all such relief measures.

YOUR BABY and MINE

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED



Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. Write to her at the address below.

TABLE MANNERS A HABIT

Sometimes I am faced with difficult propositions. One of them to-day was the request that I tell a mother how to teach her child table manners. "Interestingly," someone I have no such feeling about table manners. I don't think manners should be obtrusive. They should be just the doing of the same things day after day until they become purely mechanical. Heaven forbid that a child should be conscious of his "table manners."

When the baby is old enough to begin to feed himself, he is still in the high chair stage. He will have his bit put on him, and his mother will do most of his feeding. She may put the spoon in his hand and show him how to take small bites, and if he is wise she won't overdo this, but will make feeding a pleasure to the child and never a bore. Children get into bad habits of stuffing food in overflowing spoonfuls when there is no one near them to remonstrate, and feeding is a tiresome job to be gotten over with in a hurry.

The older child, if fed at a small table, with a chair suitable to his size,

will adore the ceremony of eating. He must wash his hands and face and go to the toilet before sitting down. Then he sits at his own table, and if he is a grownup, he should have an ordinary spoon not a curved hand-dished one, dishes of attractive pattern, and preferably all his own, and a small glass with a handle. The plain sherry glass—make sensible glasses for children, as they are small and easily held. During the day time provide the child with plenty of paper cups and use these for the many, many drinks of water all children need. It is a good habit to get into.

Of course, all these small ceremonies are going to be more or less wasted on a child who sees his father or older brothers and sisters sit down to the table without washing, careless about adjusting napkins, and intent on how quickly they can eat and be gone. After all, good habits are encouraged and stimulated by doing them day after day in exactly the same way, and by seeing others do the same. Things. Father may think it all right to guzzle his own soup, but corrects his son for doing it. Obviously those methods won't work.

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The "CANARY" MURDER CASE

By S. S. VAN DINE
Author of "The Benson Murder Case"

"What if we should succeed in eliminating Cleaver and Mannix? Where would we be—eh, what? Nowhere—simply nowhere. And yet, one of the quartette is guilty; let's cling to that consolation fact."

"It can't be Spotswood and it can't be Lindquist. Cleaver and Mannix remain; two from four leaves two. Simple arithmetic, what? The only trouble is, this case isn't simple. Lord, no—I say, how would the equation work out if we used algebra, or spherical trigonometry, or differential calculus? Let's cast it in the fourth dimension—or the fifth, or the sixth." He held his temples in both hands. "Oh, promise, Mannix—promise me that you'll hire a kind, gentle keeper for a week."

"I know how you feel. I've been in the same mental state for a week." "It's the quartette idea that's driving me mad," moaned Vance. "It wrings me to have my tetrad lopped off in such brutal fashion. I'd set my young trustin' heart on that quartette, and now it's only a pair. My sense of order and proportion has been outraged."

"I'm afraid I'll have to be satisfied with two of them," Mannix returned wearily. "One of them can't qualify, and one is in bed. You might send some flowers to the hospital, if it would cheer you any."

"One is in bed—one is in bed," repeated Vance. "Well, well—to be sure! And one from four leaves three. More arithmetic. Three?" On the other hand, there is no such thing as a straight line. All lines are curved; they describe circles in space. They look straight, but they're not. Appearances, y' know—so deceptive! Let's enter the silence, and substitute meditation for thought."

He rapped up out of the great windows into Fifth Avenue. For several moments he sat smoking thoughtfully. When he spoke again, it was in an even, deliberate voice. "Mannix, would it be difficult for you to invite Mannix and Cleaver and Spotswood to spend an evening—this evening, let us say—in your apartment?"

Mannix set down his cup with a clatter, and regarded Vance narrowly. "What new harlequinade is this?" "Well, of course. Answer my question—" "Pie-of-course—I might arrange

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such heresy, but the look he gave Vance was most expressive.

"Recently I ran across an article by Dr. George A. Dorsey, professor of anthropology at the University of Chicago, and author of 'Why We Behave Like Human Beings,' which bore intimate testimony to the scientific accuracy of Vancian theory. In it Dr. Dorsey said: 'Poker is a cross-section of the way a man behaves in a poker game. It is the way he behaves in life. His success or failure lies in the way his mind organizes the material supplied by the game. . . . I have studied humanity all my life from the anthropological and physiological viewpoint. And I have yet to find a better laboratory exercise than to observe the mind at work as they play my game and come back at me. The psychologist verbalized, visualized, and manual behavior are functioning at their highest in a poker game. . . . I can truthfully say that I learned about men from poker.'"

CHAPTER XLVII

(Monday, September 17, 9 p.m.)

Vance and I went home after lunch, and at about four o'clock Mannix telephoned to say that he had made the necessary arrangements for the evening with Spotswood, Mannix and Cleaver.

Immediately following this confirmation Vance left the house, and did not return until nearly eight o'clock. Though I was filled with curiosity at so unusual a proceeding, he refused to enlighten me. But when, at a quarter to nine, we went downstairs to the waiting car, there was a man I did not know, and I was told that I at once connected him with Vance's mysterious absence.

"I've asked Mr. Allen to join us tonight," Vance vouchsafed after a moment. "You don't play poker, and we really need another hand to make the game interesting, y' know. Mr. Allen, by the way, is an old antagonist of mine."

The fact that Vance would, apparently without permission, bring an uninvited guest to Mannix's apartment amazed me but little more than the appearance of the man himself. He was rather short, with sharp, shrewd features; and what I saw of his hair beneath his jauntily tipped hat was black and sleek, like the painted hair on Japanese dolls. I noted, too, that his evening tie was covered by a design of tiny forget-me-nots, and that his shirt front was adorned with diamond studs.

The contrast between him and the immaculately stylish and meticulously correct Vance was aggressively evident. I wondered what could be the relationship between them. Obviously it was neither social nor professional.

Cleaver and Mannix were already on hand when we were ushered into Mannix's drawing-room, and a few minutes later Spotswood arrived. The amenities of introducing over, we were soon seated comfortably about the open log fire, smoking, and sipping very excellent Scotch highballs.

Mannix had, of course, accepted the unexpected Mr. Allen cordially; but his occasional glances in the latter's direction disclosed a certain amount of difficulty in reconciling the man's appearance with Vance's sponsorship.

A tense atmosphere lay beneath the spurious and affected affability of the little gathering. Indeed, the situation was scarcely conducive to spontaneity. Here were three men each of whom was known to the others to have been interested in the same woman, and the reason for their having been brought together was the fact that this woman had been murdered.

Mannix, however, handled the situation with such tact that he largely succeeded in giving each one the feeling of being a disinterested spectator summoned to discuss an abstract problem.

He explained at the outset that the "conference" had been actuated by his failure to find a proper approach to the problem of the murder. He hoped, he said, by a purely informal discussion, divested of all officialism and coercion, to turn up suggestions which might lead to a fruitful line of inquiry. His manner was one of friendly appeal, and when he finished speaking the gentle tension had been noticeably relaxed.

During the discussion that followed I was interested in the various attitudes of the men, except, of course, of the man who had sponsored him. He was more self-conscious than suggestive.

Mannix was voluble and pretentiously candid, but beneath his comments ran a strain of apologetic wariness. Spotswood, unlike Mannix, seemed loath to discuss the matter, and maintained a consistently reticent attitude. He responded politely to Mannix's questions, but he did not succeed entirely in hiding his resentment at thus being dragged into a general discussion.

Vance had little to say, limiting himself to occasional remarks directed at Vance, but he did not once speak, but sat contemplating the others with a sort of canny amusement.

The entire conversation struck me as utterly futile. Had Mannix really hoped to draw the line, or was he, in his eagerness to please, merely endeavoring to justify himself for having taken an unwise step, and to pave the way for the game of poker which Vance had requested. When the time came to broach the subject, however, there was no difficulty about it.

It was exactly eleven o'clock when he made the suggestion. His tone was gracious and unassuming. "But by couching his invitation in terms of personal request, he practically precluded declination."

But his verbal strategy, I felt, was unnecessary. Both Cleaver and Spotswood seemed genuinely to welcome the opportunity of dropping a distasteful discussion in favor of playing cards; and Vance, Allen, of course, concurred instantly.

Mannix alone declined. He explained that he knew the game only slightly, and disliked it. He said that it was an enthusiastic desire to watch the others. Vance urged him to reconsider, but without success; and Mannix had finally ordered his man to arrange the table for five.

I noticed that Vance waited until Allen had taken his place, and then dropped into the chair at his right. Cleaver took the seat at Allen's left, Spotswood sat at Vance's right; and then came Mannix. Mannix drew up his chair midway behind Mannix and Cleaver.

Cleaver first named a rather moderate limit, but Spotswood at once suggested much larger stakes. Then Vance went still higher, and as both Mannix and Allen signified their agreement, his figure was accepted. The prices placed on the chips somewhat took my breath away, and even Mannix whistled softly.

That all five men at the table were excellent players became obvious before the game had proceeded five minutes. For the first time that night Vance's friend Allen seemed to have found his milieu and to be wholly at ease.

Allen won the first two hands, and Vance the third and fourth. Spotswood then had a short run of good luck, and a little later Mannix took a large jack-pot which put him slightly in the lead.

To be continued

St. Princess Kathleen takes an excursion to Seattle, Saturday, May 12, leaving at 9 a.m.

SIDE GLANCES —By George Clark



The boy who left home because he was tired of his mother's cooking.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Bob Cat's Sneeze

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

"Dear me," growled the black, bushy Bear, looking at the five pictures of a nice after-dinner deserts which Uncle Wiggily had drawn for a puzzle picture.

"So I must guess the names of these, must I?"

"Indeed you must," said the rabbit gentleman. "Why, to be sure, to be sure, I almost gave you their names."

"But such funny names," growled the Bear, scratching his head.

As I told you in the story before this, the Bear had come to catch Uncle Wiggily, but the rabbit had set a hard puzzle for the Bear. And while the Bear was trying to guess the names of the deserts, Uncle Wiggily slipped quietly away and ran safely home to his bungalow.

It wasn't until almost dark that the Bear, stupid chap which he was, guessed that the deserts were cake, cookies, pudding, oatmeal and pie. The first letter was left off each name, and the cookie's name was under the cake. But I don't believe that fooled you, did it?"

Anyhow, the puzzle served Uncle Wiggily a good turn, for it helped him to get away from the Bear. And the next day the rabbit gentleman started out again to look for adventures.

"Are you going near where there are any flowers?" squeaked Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzey, as the rabbit gentleman hopped away with his twink, twinkling nose.

"Why, yes, Miss Fuzzy Wuzzey, I am."

"Then please bring me a bouquet,"

He gathered a paw full of flowers.

begged the muskrat lady housekeeper. "I expect company for tea and I want flowers for the table."

"You shall have them if I can find any," said Uncle Wiggily.

So Uncle Wiggily hopped here and there, and he hopped to another place, but no May flowers did he see and no May flowers did he smell.

"This is strange," said Uncle Wiggily. "I thought surely I would find some flowers. Some one must have picked them all."

Then, all of a sudden, the bunny rabbit gentleman heard a noise and quickly jumped behind a log, for he thought the Bear might be coming again. But when he looked over the log he saw where a little toad boy was jumping and playing leap frog and this had made the noise.

So Uncle Wiggily gave the toad boy a green penny and went on his way looking for May flowers. Once he thought he saw a daisy, but just then, all of a quickness, another noise took my toad boy and Mr. Longears leaped behind a big rock.

"For maybe the Wolf is coming," he said. But when he looked around the corner of the rock the bunny saw a brook gurgling over stones and it was this which had made the noise.

"Well, I'll hop along some more and look for flowers," he said. So away he went and soon he saw a green grassy field with a number of pretty blossoms. "Here are some for Nurse Jane," cried Uncle Wiggily.

He had gathered a paw full of flowers, and was going to hop home with them when, all at once, up out of the deep grass rose the Bob Cat.

"What are you doing—her-her-her-her-her?" sneezed the Bob Cat, for some of the pollen, or yellow dust from the flowers flew up his nose. "What

ker Zoo—are you—a-ker-snee-izing here?" he sneezed again.

"I'm gathering flowers for Nurse Jane," said Uncle Wiggily in a bold voice.

Rev. T. E. Holling, Formerly of Metropolitan Church, Made D.D.

Rev. T. E. Holling, who was pastor of the Metropolitan Church from 1908 to 1912, has been honored by Queen's University, which conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity on him recently.

Mr. Holling is now pastor of the First United Church, Lindsay, Ontario, and the Lindsay Post says:

"Mr. Holling came to Lindsay nearly three years ago from St. James's United Church, Ottawa, to assume the co-

pastorate with Rev. F. H. McIntosh, of the First United Church.

"Mr. Holling began his ministry in Western Canada and graduated in Arts from Manitoba University, Winnipeg. Before coming east he served Zion Church, Moose-Jaw; Young Church, Winnipeg; and Metropolitan Church, Victoria, B.C. He was called east to pastorate of Colborne Street Methodist Church, Brantford, and from thence to Westmont Methodist Church, Montreal, going from there to Ottawa, in both of which churches he served for years.

"As a member of the General Conference of the United Church and of the General Council of the United Church, Mr. Holling has had wide experience in ecclesiastical affairs. He was also a member of the committee that prepared the new Methodist Hymnal, and is a member of the committee that is now preparing the new Book of Praise for the United Church of Canada. Mr. Holling is chairman of the Lindsay Presbytery."

NAME THESE FOUR FLOWERS

brave voice. "And you can't nibble my ears unless you guess this puzzle, Mr. Bob Cat."

"What—ker-choo—puzzle?" asked the bad chap.

With a stick for a pencil, Uncle Wiggily quickly drew on the ground four little pictures. "Each picture is the name of a flower," said the rabbit. "You must guess them before you nibble me, Mr. Bob Cat."

"Ker-choo!" sneezed the hungry animal. Did he guess the flowers? Can you? Well, anyhow, if the white-hat turns green when it eats strawberry ice-cream, I'll tell you the name about Uncle Wiggily and Sammie's tooth.

PRAIRIE CHURCH

APPEAL IS HEARD

Congregation of 10,000 in Montreal Told of Anglican Needs on Plains

Montreal, May 7.—Probably the largest Anglican assembly that has ever met in this city gathered in the Forum last night when 10,000 persons attended a special service where plans for the cause of the Church of England in the prairie provinces were made by the Bishop of Montreal, the Bishop of Qu'Appelle, Sask., and Archbishop McEwen of Winnipeg.

Problems which were confronting the Anglican Church in Western Canada were dealt with by each of the speakers.

HELPING HAND

Bishop Farthing of Montreal stressed particularly the unity of the Church of England in Canada. It was, he felt, the duty of the older settlement in Montreal to extend a helping hand to the new pioneers in the West, just as the mother church in England had extended a helping hand to the first pioneers in Eastern Canada.

The Bishop of Qu'Appelle brought out the fact that much had already been accomplished by the church in the prairie provinces and that encouragement was to be found in the progress that had been made in the past six years. In spite of this heartening progress, however, they were as yet unable to minister to any great proportion of the people living scattered in isolated groups about the wide tracts of country. It was heart-breaking, he declared, to have to refuse the ministrations of the church to its members, as they continually had to do on the prairies. The need of the church was not only money, but the realization by more mothers that they should give their sons to the ministry.

PRAIRIE OPTIMISM

Great optimism concerning the material future of the prairies was expressed by Archbishop McEwen. On the other hand, he had no word of cheer to offer as to the spiritual welfare of the community and the growth of the Church of England if, as at present, there was but one minister to 40,000 square miles and houses of worship so few and far between that many people who belonged to the church never had an opportunity of meeting for prayer.

"We wonder if there is going to be a Church of England at all under these conditions in the prairies after several generations," he said.

Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E.—The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Thursday at 3 p.m. at the home of the regent, Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, 940 Foul Bay Road.



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MADE IN CANADA

QUEEN'S HONORS

Mehlhorn Leading In British Open

"Wild Bill" Shoots 72 In First Round At Sandwich To-day

George Duncan, Len Holland and Jack Smith, All Englishmen, One Stroke Behind Mehlhorn; Torrance, Scottish Amateur, Ties With Many Famous Pros With 74; Harry Vardon and Ted Ray Far in Rear; Armour Requires 77

Sandwich, May 7.—"Wild Bill" Mehlhorn, prominent United States golfer, returned a fine 72 for the first eighteen holes of the thirty-six-hole qualification play, British open golf championship, to-day, and with half the returns in was leading the field.

The British golfer, George Duncan, professional, and Len Holland, with 73, followed Mehlhorn, while E. R. Whitecombe, another Briton, had a 75. Gene Sarazen, with a 77, slipped on several rather short putts, while John McHugh of San Francisco, amateur, had a 77. Lester Hartley, English amateur, had a 78, while Dr. Tweddell, last year's British amateur champion, had 86.

LEADS AMATEURS

T. A. Torrance, Scottish amateur, finished with a score of 74, over Prince's Course, taking the lead among the amateurs from John McHugh, who scored 77.

"Long Jim" Barnes, who won the British championship in 1925, was around in 74. Tommy Armour, open champion of the United States and Canada, took 77. Jack Smith, long-driving British pro, was just behind Mehlhorn with 73, and Arnaud Massey, the French pro, was around in 74. Harry Vardon required 84 and Ted Ray, his former playing partner, had a score of 80.

Robert Harris, former British amateur champion, returned a score of 85. Sandwich, England, May 7.—The hosts of golf are massed on this Kentish shore where history of golf and of nations has been made. To-day the battle started for the classic British open championship, which Bobby Jones, Walter Hagen and other Americans have won six times in the last seven years.

Here Roman galleys landed. Saxon long boats raided. Norman conquerors came in centuries past and German U-boats cast their terror during the late war.

Here, also, on the links of the Royal St. George's Club, where Walter Hagen will try to win his third British open, great golfing battles have been waged, and on memorable occasions have been won by Americans.

If Hagen succeeds he will again wear the golfing crown which for the last two years has graced the brow of Bobby Jones, who is not defending his title.

Hagen and the late Walter J. Travis put American golf on the British map at Sandwich, Hagen by winning the United States Open in 1904, the feat of Travis was not repeated until Jess Sweetser came along at Muirhead in 1926.

SMALL CONTINGENT

The invading host of American professionals is not so great this year. "Long Jim" Barnes, who has been practicing on British courses for some time. They were joined by Tommy Armour, the open champion of the United States, and George Duncan, Mehlhorn and Walter Hagen two weeks ago. Bob Stuppel, Chicago pro, arrived Wednesday and had only two days practice. Three amateurs are included in the entry list of 271—Joshua Crane, Douglas Grant and Charles McHugh.

Both the Prince's and St. George's courses were in excellent condition, to-day with ideal weather. Only the usual stiff breezes from the channel tested the players' ability to handle the ball in the wind.

Practice play yesterday was concentrated on the St. George course as Prince's was crowded with members of the House of Commons playing a Parliamentary handicap.

"Wild Bill" Mehlhorn, playing with George Duncan and Abe Mitchell, had a 70 to-day finishing with two fives. This was the low score of the day. Walter Hagen, in a four-ball match with Gilbert Elliott, an English amateur, against Roger Wethered and Hon. Michael Scott, turned in a card of 73. Tommy Armour's superb iron shots attracted widespread comment.

MISS BOBBY JONES

The absence of Bobby Jones is a real disappointment to the British golfing public. The one desire of the whole world of British golf is to bring to an end the string of American victories but that ambition would have been delayed almost until Bobby had been able to leave his law practice long enough to make his record read three straight.

The Atlantic lawyer holds British hearts as he holds their golf title. Walter Travis, although as an Australian, was British born, never made many friends in the Old Country. He was too busy with his golf and too serious about it to be bothered with social contacts. Hagen is admired, respected and feared because of his terrific match and medal winning personality but there is a little too much of the showman about him to go well with the British followers of the game. But Walter plays his game, makes them like it and pay to see it.

HOME PLAYERS GOOD

Archie Compston, British match play champion, who became a favorite overnight by defeating Hagen 18 up and 17 to play, and Abe Mitchell carry the joint hope of the British contingent. If Mitchell and Compston fall Britain in her hour of golfing need, there are other famous names to fall back upon. George Duncan, the Whitecombe brothers, Aubrey Boomer, the Channel Islander, Arthur Havers, who broke the ruin of America's victory in 1923; Ted Ray, Fred Robson; and younger school, Jack Smith, long distance driver, and Henry Cotton, a schoolboy who took up golf as a professional and has made good progress.

The famous triumvirate of now venerable pros, Harry Vardon, James Braid and J. H. Taylor, with the still older Alex. Herd, doubtless will be heard from but they can hardly be expected to stand in the front rank. Hagen would easily have ruled as favorite for the title had he not been

IS LEADING



Who was in front in the early return for the first eighteen holes of the British open golf championship to-day. He registered a 72.

smothered so completely at Moor Park. Compston, because of his victory there, would be the pick of the British if their hearts were not set on having Mitchell win. The British are not supposed to be sentimental, but they are very much so about Mitchell.

Hagen is a greatly changed young man since last week, when for almost the first time in his career a golf ball flatly refused to perform tricks for him. "I'm worse than ever," a chastened and contrite "Sir Walter" said to-day.

COMPSTON WINS AGAIN

But Hagen's appearance belies this statement. He looks 100 per cent keener and fresher than when he arrived in England, and a week's practice has done him worlds of good, although he lost again to Compston to-day in a friendly putting match.

LEARNING LANGUAGE

The young Californian McHugh is easily the most formidable among the slender American amateur contingent. Compston, who has been playing at American language, introduced McHugh to friends yesterday as "the guy who is going to do well at Sandwich and then clean up the British amateurs at Prestwick at the end of this month." Archie cheered McHugh's shots with hearty shouts of "atta boy."

Harry Vardon picks Havers as the probable winner of the title this year. Havers, he says, is hitting the ball better than any of the other British hopes.

Sandwich, Eng., May 7.—Five British championship have been played at Sandwich and the list of winners is a roll of famous golfers. In 1894 J. H. Taylor won; in 1899, Harry Vardon; in 1904, Jack White; in 1911, Harry Vardon again, and in 1923 Walter Hagen put the first homebred American's name on the cup with an aggregate of 300, the lowest championship total ever turned in for the Sandwich route.

Yardage and standard par for the Prince's course:

Hole	Distance	Par
1	440	4
2	325	4
3	247	4
4	423	4
5	405	4
6	162	3
7	484	5
8	197	3
9	397-3101	4-35
10	375	4
11	380	4
12	360	4
13	430	4
14	510	5
15	457	5
16	160	3
17	420	4
18	434-3515	4-37
Totals	6616	72

SONS' LACROSSE PRACTICE

The Sons of Canada lacrosse team will hold their opening practice of the season on Tuesday evening at the High School grounds. All of last year's players are requested to turn out, as well as any others wishing to try out for the team. The practice will start at 6:30 o'clock sharp.

VICTORIA WESTS BEAT THISTLES TO WIN TROPHY

Score 4-2 in Final Game For Combination Cup; Local Season Brought to Close.

Five C's Juveniles Capture Provincial Honors By 2-0 Win Over Mainland Team

Victoria West, First Division soccer team, won the Combination Cup Saturday afternoon when they defeated a weakened Saanich Thistles' eleven 4-2 at the Royal Athletic Park. The game was witnessed by a large crowd of soccer fans.

The Thistles commenced the game with only eight men and half of the first had elapsed before they had a full team on the field.

Starting on the offensive the Wests were soon one goal up when Cyril Conorton scored a goal on a fine individual effort. Taking a pass from Plump, the fast outside right went through the Saanich defence to send a stinging shot past Hetherington.

Still on the attack the Wests added another counter shortly after when Plump grabbed the rebound from Conorton's drive to beat the Saanich goalie with a low drive.

Towards the end of the half the Thistles showed up to better advantage and the Wests' goal was subjected to some dangerous attacks but half-time found the greenshirts still leading 2-0. Play in the second half was fairly even with both teams scoring two goals.

ESSLER SCORES

Sammy Essler accounted for the Thistles' first goal and it was rather a gift. Essler appeared offside to the Wests' backs and they expected the referee to blow his whistle with the result that the Thistles' forward had an open shot at the goal.

From the kick-off the Wests carried the ball down the field and Plump made it 3-1 driving Conorton's pass past Hetherington. The greenshirts got their fourth goal when Joe Crowe in attempting to head the ball cleared it into his own net.

For the last twenty minutes the Thistles were on the attack and Sammy Essler scored their second goal with a fast shot from the penalty line that the Thistles' keeper was unable to save.

Alcock refereed and the teams were as follows:

Victoria Wests—Pamrose, Allen, Godwin, Popham, Fred Thomas, Conorton, Brown, Plump, Robinson and Mulcahy.

Saanich Thistles—Hetherington, Harper, Garside, Price, MacDonald, Saville and Ewing.

Soccer fans who witnessed the juvenile provincial cup final soccer game Saturday afternoon between the Five C's of Victoria and the Northern Lights of North Vancouver received a real thrill as the youngsters put up a splendid game which was finally won by the locals, 2-0. The boys received a big hand from the spectators.

At result of their victory the Five C's gained possession of the Shelly Cup, emblematic of the B.C. title. Saturday's teams were composed of players all under fifteen years of age.

Folland, clever inside right of the Five C's, was responsible for both their goals, one in the first half and the other in the second.

In the first twenty minutes play was even with both teams coming close to scoring.

Victoria finally took the lead when Plump scored after Payne had centred nicely from a free kick awarded through a foul thrown in.

In the second half the Five C's had the edge and Folland scored their second goal with a fine shot from close range.

Woodley refereed, and the teams were as follows:

Five C's—R. Lund, S. Murie, H. Brown, A. Griffin, W. Lund, A. Reside, V. Cave, L. Pollard, H. Youson, J. Payne and G. Payne.

Northern Lights—D. McLeellan, G. Hunter, M. Graham, L. Andrews, W. Spence, A. McLean, D. Todd, T. Cummings, R. Kittson, N. McLeod and H. King.

At St. Louis the Cardinals and the Brooklyn Robins divided a doubleheader before 33,000 fans. Dazzy Vance allowed but six hits and fanned half a dozen in a 5-4 decision over the invaders in eleven innings. Malone, relieved Blake in the seventh with the bases loaded, got out of the jam with one run scored against him and then turned back the Phillies the rest of the way. He fanned eight men. The winning run came when Hack Wilson sent up a sacrifice fly and Beck scored.

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Batteries—McWeeny, Doak and Henline; Kaufmann, Johnson, Littlejohn and Mancuso.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E. New York..... 3 10 Cincinnati..... 4 14 0

Batteries—Sweetland and J. Wilson; Blake, Malone and Gonzales.

ONE OF FAVORITES



ARCHIE COMPSTON

The British open golf championship opened this morning at Sandwich, Eng., and a great field of pro and amateur golfers is seeking the title. Archie Compston, through his sensational play against Walter Hagen recently, is one of the favorites for the honors.

One Player Robs Young Hurler of No-hit Game By Hitting Two Singles

Billings, Detroit Star, Holds Boston Red Sox Powerless, But Buddy Meyer Ruins Perfect Game for Him; 60,000 Fans See Yankees Crush Chicago Again; Sam Gray Wins Sixth Game of Season in Extra Innings Against Washington; Giants Beaten Again by Cincinnati; Cards and Robins Split

Haskell Billings, Detroit's youthful pitching star, is out for a revenge on Buddy Meyer, shortstop of Bill Carrigan's Boston Red Sox. Billings hurled the Tigers to a 3-0 victory over the Red Sox at Detroit yesterday and would have had a no-hit game to his credit but for Buddy. Billings allowed only two hits and both went to Meyer. They were singles and Buddy got no farther than first base.

Sixty thousand persons, including the famous crew of the Bremen, watched the New York Yankees subdue the Chicago White Sox for the third day in a row, four to two, at the Yankee Stadium.

Red Faber, Chicago veteran, was touched for only six hits, but these included homers by Gehrig and Dugan, the former being his third of the season. Stanley Coveleskie started the game for the Yanks and got credit for the win, although Wilcy Moore had to finish for him.

Sam Gray registered his sixth win of the season when the St. Louis Browns turned back the Senators at Washington 7-4 in a thrilling eleven-inning game for the fourth time. Bucky Harris, manager of Washington, tripled to score three runs, and in the ninth Judge prolonged the result by a sharp single through the box which scored two more.

The New York Giants, National League leaders, suffered their second straight defeat at Cincinnati 4-3 in ten innings. The Reds fielded sensationally, making four double plays. The Reds won, with none out in the tenth, when Crix started with a single.

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Montreal, May 7.—A new opening day attendance figure for the International League was established here on Saturday when 22,500 persons attended the Montreal-Reading clash, which marked the first all appearance of a Montreal team in class "A" baseball in eleven years.

Incidentally all previous attendance records for a sport event in this city were shattered.

UPSETS FEATURE OPENING ROUNDS COLWOOD GOLF

Matson Eliminated By G. Straith, Who in Turn Falls Before F. Thomas

Lineham Knocked Out By Terry; McQuade, Champion, Wins Matches Easily

When the smoke of two rounds of match play in the men's championship of the Colwood Golf Club yesterday had blown away, the secretary, Walter Perry, had to record a number of upsets.

The championship has now reached the third round and the survivors are Ed. McQuade, defending champion; Dr. George Hall, Mickey Richardson, Harry Hodges, Goldwyn Terry, and Art Christopher.

The big upset of the first round yesterday was the defeat of Jack Matson by George Straith 2 up. Owing to the falling off in the play of Alex Straith, who in the qualifying round had burnt up the course with a 74, George came to the rescue and brought some glory to the Straith family. Alex was yards off his form and struck up an acquaintanceship with most of the trees and bunkers on the course.

A GREAT FINISH

George Straith was three up on Matson; a former champion, at the seventh, but lost the next two holes and was one up at the turn. At the fourth hole they were all square, and both were in the woods with their drives. Matson chipped out but Straith used a wooden club and reached the green. He won the hole with a four. At the fifteenth Matson was on the green with his first, twenty-five feet from the pin. Straith was off the green but he nearly holed his approach and then won the hole. Matson won the sixteenth; they halved the next and Straith won the home hole.

Straith was knocked out in the second round by Frank Thomas, medalist and veteran star of the club. It was a keen match and Thomas won by 2 and 1.

Ed. McQuade had two easy matches defeating Ted Horsey in the morning and Scott Whitting in the afternoon.

LINEHAM FALLS

After defeating Ken Perry in the morning Goldwyn Terry squashed Harry Lineham, runner-up for the last two years, by 5 and 4, in the afternoon.

Art Christopher, one of the promising youngsters, put Archie Muir out in the morning and then eliminated E. W. Ismay, 4 and 3 in the afternoon.

Harry Hodges disposed of Dr. Haynes by 1 up in the morning and then took Walter Hall's number in the afternoon by 4 and 2. Hodges, who was runner-up in 1924, was right on his game.

Dr. George Hall's victims were C. I. McKennie and Comie de Suzanne. The results were as follows:

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT

First Round
F. Thomas won from J. H. Stevens, 4-3.
Geo. Straith won from J. R. Matson, 2 up.

Comie J. de Suzanne won from Geo. Simpson, 2 up.
R. J. Darcus won from T. S. McPherson, 7-5.
F. F. Wilson won from J. L. Mara, 3-2.

J. H. Richardson won from T. H. Leeming, 3-2.
P. Criddie won from A. Straith 4-3.
W. W. Hall won from A. W. Millar, 5-3.

H. P. Hodges won from Dr. Haynes, 1 up.
C. S. Whitting won from Dr. Bryant, 2 up.
E. C. McQuade won from E. N. Horsey, 4-2.

H. Lineham won from W. Cathcart, 2-1.
G. M. Terry won from H. K. Perry, 4-2.
E. W. Ismay won from L. D. Rines, nineteenth green.

A. B. Christopher won from A. Muir, 2 up.

Second Round
F. Thomas won from Geo. Straith, 2-1.
Dr. Geo. Hall won from Comie de Suzanne, 7-5.
J. H. Richardson won from P. Criddie, 4-3.

H. P. Hodges won from W. H. Hall, 4-2.
E. C. McQuade won from C. S. Whitting, 6-5.
G. M. Terry won from H. Lineham, 5-4.

A. B. Christopher won from E. W. Ismay, 4-3.

FIRST FLIGHT

First Round
J. R. Matson won from J. H. Stevens, 8-7.
C. I. Mackenzie won from Geo. Simpson, 2 up.

J. L. Mara won from T. S. McPherson, 4-2.
Straith won from T. H. Leeming, twentieth green.
Dr. Haynes won from A. W. Millar, 3-2.

Dr. Bryant won from E. N. Horsey, 3-2.
W. Cathcart won from H. K. Perry, 2-1.
L. D. Rines won from A. Muir, 2-1.

Second Round
F. J. Hall won from E. Greville-Jones, 6-4.
V. C. Martin won from Dr. Keys, nineteenth green.

J. N. Findlay won from J. R. MacIntyre, 6-4.
Geo. Brady won from P. Greville-Jones, 5-3.

Third Round
J. N. Findlay won from V. C. Martin, 2-1.
Geo. Brady won from Geo. Wilkinson, 6-4.

St. Princess Kathleen takes an excursion to Seattle, Saturday, May 12, leaving at 9 a.m.

Dean, Everton's Great Centre-forward, Sets New Scoring Record

Perforius Hat Trick Saturday and Registers Sixty Goals in One Season, Eclipsing Cammell's Record by One; Everton Prouddest and Happiest Club in Soccer; Receive English Cup After Game With Arsenal; Season Which Closed Saturday Will Be Remembered as One in Which Form Was Continually Upset

London, May 7.—Soccer vied with cricket as a sporting attraction in England on Saturday. Matches in both varieties of sport were played under a blazing sun. Despite the ideal weather, many thousands were attracted to soccer matches, which, on account of the tangled condition of the clubs in the standings, were thoroughly interesting. The soccer season will long be remembered as one in which form was continually upset and in which Saturday's fixtures, the last of the scheduled games in England, were no exception. Fate, which has been fighting against the Tottenham Hotspurs, one of the historic clubs in England, dealt them a final

cruel blow Saturday, firstly through Manchester United and secondly through the Wednesday. Both the Manchester and Sheffield clubs some weeks ago seemed doomed to relegation from the first to the second division.

Tottenham would have been saved Saturday if Manchester had drawn their game and the Wednesday had lost. As it was both won very impressively.

SUFFERS DUAL BLOW

London, moreover, suffers a dual blow, because Fulham, who on goal average could have afforded to lose, if Clapton Orient had been beaten, are now pushed down into the Third Division, with South Shields. The metropolis, however, has secured consolation from the fact that Millwall, who have played fine football all season, come up into the Second Division.

The "needle" matches in the First Division were naturally the games in which the teams facing demotion were engaged. Thirty thousand turned out at Manchester to see United defeat Liverpool by six goals to one. The Manchester team led at half time by four goals to one through goals by Spence and Rawlings, each of whom scored twice. Hodgson scored for Liverpool. Spence completed his hat trick after the turn around. Hanson registered Manchester's sixth tally.

Forty-five thousand saw the Wednesday beat Aston Villa, who earlier in the week had humbled Huddersfield Town and given the championship of the first division to Everton. The teams were deadlocked without score at half-time. Allen and Trotter netted for the Wednesday in the second half.

MIDDLESBOROUGH GO DOWN

Middlesbrough did not lack for support in their crucial game with Sunderland. Over 40,000 were there to urge them to win. Sunderland took a lead in the first half through Wright and Halliday. And Death added a couple more after the interval. Middlesbrough accompany the Spurs into the second division.

In the Second Division, the matches of Manchester City and Leeds United, upon which the championship depended, were disappointing. Manchester City were beaten by Notts County and Leeds by Stoke City. Manchester lost the championship and with Leeds enter the first division next season.

DEAN'S GREAT FEAT

Everton were the proudest and happiest club in soccer on Saturday. After playing a drawn game with Arsenal in which Dean, the great Everton forward, did the hat trick, they were presented with the League Cup by John M. Kennan, on behalf of the English League. Dean indeed finished up the season in a blaze of glory, because his three goals in the last game enabled him to beat Cammell's record of fifty-nine goals in one season by one.

J. Robson, playing for Grimsby, against Preston North End, did the hat trick, scoring all his three goals within three minutes of one another. Cameron of Preston, tried to emulate Robson and actually got three goals. Harris of Oldham, was credited with the hat trick against Hull City.

London, May 7. (Canadian Press Cable).—The teams in the Third Division of the English Football League who finished last in their sections and must apply for re-admission to the league are Nelson of the Northern Section and Torquay in the Southern Section.

While Nelson was four points below their nearest competitors for last place, Torquay were tied in the standings with Coventry City and lost their place in the league through an inferior goal average.

Each year an election takes place to decide whether the league or another is admitted to complete the roster of the twenty-one clubs. It is expected that Torquay United will meet with considerable opposition in the election as Argonauts, an amateur club are to apply for the vacant place in the Southern Section.

Belanger to Meet Campbell To-night

San Francisco, May 7.—Charley Belanger, light-heavyweight titleholder of Canada, and Frankie Campbell of San Francisco meet to-night, in a ten-round bout in the Armory. The pair will enter the ring with Belanger a favorite, odds switching to the Northerner during his week of training here. Last Monday, Campbell was a heavy favorite. Belanger has twice met Leo Loms, losing a close decision in one bout and fighting a draw in the other.

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STRESEMANN HAS HOPE FOR PEACE

German Minister Thinks U.S.
Peace Plan Moves in Right
Direction

Heidelberg, Germany, May 7.—The ideals of world peace and the proposals of Frank B. Kellogg, United States Secretary of State, for the outlawing of war, were lauded by Dr. Gustav Stresemann, German Foreign Minister, and Jacob G. Schurman, United States ambassador, in addresses before the Forum of the Heidelberg University on Saturday. The occasion was the conferring of degrees on the two by the university.

In his acceptance address Dr. Stresemann declared: "We are now the witnesses of a great political undertaking. We see the United States Government appear on the scene with a great, simple, clear-cut draft of a world pact for the renunciation of war. I have no illusions about the difficulties still to be overcome, but I am of the opinion it is not a wrong one, simply because it does not lead immediately to a final goal."

Islands

MAYNE ISLAND

Mayne Island, May 7.—Mrs. Hall and baby daughter have returned home from Ganges.

Mr. Aitken has left for the mainland and the Lower Fraser River, where he has gone to shoot seals for the Government.

Miss Craig has returned home after a visit to Vancouver Island.

Mrs. J. Neil Smith and daughter have returned to Vancouver after spending a month here.

Mr. Coates has gone to Vancouver. Mrs. Spencer-Page of Victoria is staying with her son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. R. D. and Mrs. Porter.

Elliot Robson has returned after a few days spent in Vancouver.

Mrs. McNeil and Mrs. Dorothy McNeil have returned after spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Aiken Jr. of Vancouver are staying here.

J. Borodale has been spending a few days on Salt Spring Island with his parents.

GALIANO ISLAND

Galiano Island, May 7.—Forest Ranger O'Grady has been visiting here making arrangements to show the film "The Destroyer" in the Galiano Hall.

Mrs. Harris has gone to Vancouver. Mr. Patience has returned home from Vancouver.

R. Hervey has gone to Winnipeg on a visit.

Max Enke of Victoria has been spending a few days on his farm and Mrs. Enke will leave shortly for a trip to England and Belgium.

SATURNIA ISLAND AND SOUTH PENDER ISLAND

Saturnia Island and South Pender Island, May 7.—Colonel and Mrs. Andrews of Victoria have been cruising in their yacht, Spartan III, and spent a few days at both Saturnia and South Pender Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Burnett have gone to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and family have left for Port Washington, where they will reside for the future.

Mrs. Sutherland Matterson of Parksville, who has been staying with Mrs. Crane for two weeks, has returned to her home.

Miss Phyllis Horwood has returned to her home on South Pender after a visit with Colonel and Mrs. Nelson at Deep Cove.

Mrs. W. Higgs has returned home from Victoria.

Miss N. Wood of Victoria is staying with her parents, Captain and Mrs. Wood.

Mr. Stanton has returned to his home on Saturnia Island after a visit to Vancouver.

Miss Baehman has returned from a visit to Victoria.

J. O'Reilly of Victoria has been visiting his farm on South Pender.

J. Liberto has left to live at Port Washington.

Sidney

Sidney, May 7.—Members and friends of the Sidney Social Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Macaulay to hold their monthly meeting.

A pleasant time was spent in five hundred at four tables, for which prizes were awarded to Miss Nesta Carter, Mrs. A. Critchley, Kelly Saffinger and R. N. Macaulay. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, and a business meeting followed. A letter was also presented from the North Saanich War Memorial Park Association for a donation. It was voted \$10. A lengthy discussion over arrangements for a permanent meeting place, resulted in Mr. Lidgate and Mr. Sangster being appointed to make the final arrangements to secure an available room in the new Berquist building on Beacon Avenue. All members and their friends are asked to meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lidgate, Fourth Street, on Wednesday evening, May 9, in honor of Mrs. J. Peck, an old member, who is leaving shortly to make her home in Vancouver.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid of the United Church will be held on Wednesday afternoon, May 9, at 3 o'clock in Wesley Hall. Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Ginnell will be hostesses.

The Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. T. Harrison, "The Orchard," on Wednesday, May 9, at 3 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Coward and Mr. and Mrs. William Coward and son motored to Cobble Hill, where they visit friends this week.

St. Princess Agnes takes an excursion to Seattle Saturday, May 12, leaving at 9 a.m.

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Square and Oval Rugs for the sun room, porch or summer house. Two sizes 2'0x3'0 and 2'0x3'0. Attractive designs and colorings. Tuesday Nine o'clock

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Bayer's Aspirin, eight doz. for \$1.29

Carter's Liver Pills. **14c**

Throat Lozenges. **18c**

Beecham's Pills. **19c**

Pain Killer. **37c**

Gray's Balm, \$1.00 value. **69c**

Mentholatum. **19c**

Asthma Remedy, large size. **86c**

Sootha Salve, 50c value. **29c**

Gin Pills. **39c**

Andrew's Salts. **49c**

Morton's Castor Oil, large. **24c**

Autostrop Razor, with one blade (metal case). **33c**

Van Ess Hair Tonic. **85c**

Moon's Emerald Oil. **96c**

Tonic Stout, large size. **58c**

Budweiser Malt and Hops. **95c**

Auditorium Bath Soap, 15c size. **33c**

French Castile Soap, long bars, 45c value. **37c**

Old Brown Windsor Soap, 4 for 17c

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Tuesday—a Great Sale of Corsets Girdles, Step-ins and Corselettes



750 Garments are represented in this great sale of Gossard, Nemo, Lady Mac and Formfit Corsets, Girdles and Step-ins. Part of this interesting collection is the result of a special purchase, while other numbers are from discontinued and broken lines that show reductions of one-quarter to one-half for this sale.

55 Pink Coutil Corsets Regular \$1.50. Anniversary Sale price. **\$1.00**
Gossard Step-ins and Corselettes. Specially purchased. Regular to \$5.00. Anniversary Sale price. **\$2.49**
32 Stock Girdles and Corselettes Regular \$4.75 to \$6.00. Anniversary Sale price. **\$3.95**
20 Fancy Broch Clasp-around Regular \$6.50. Anniversary Sale price. **\$4.98**
18 Corset and Formfit Corselettes and Girdles Regular to \$7.50. Anniversary Sale price. **\$5.95**
100 Sanitary Aprons and Bloomers Regular \$1.50. Anniversary Sale price. **98c**
Tailored and Lace Trimmings Brassieres Of rayon silk and in assorted colors and styles. Anniversary Sale price. **98c**
200 Pink Batiste Brassieres Anniversary Sale price, each. **29c**

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26 Gossard and Lady Mac Girdles and Step-ins Regular \$8.00 and \$8.75. Anniversary Sale price. **\$6.95**

40 Lady Mac and Formfit Girdles and Corselettes Regular \$9.50 and \$11.50. Anniversary Sale price. **\$7.95**

20 Tree and Lady Mac Girdles and Corselettes Regular \$13.50. Anniversary Sale price. **\$8.95**

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EPIC BRAVERY OF PIONEERS PORTRAYED AT CAPITOL IN PICTURE "OLD IRONSIDES"

Esther Ralston, Wallace Beery, George Bancroft, Johnnie Walker and Charles Farrell Appear in Story of Heroism Directed by James Cruze

James Cruze's "Old Ironsides," which had its local premiere at the Capitol Theatre this afternoon, might justly be acclaimed as the greatest motion picture of the United States. For this stupendous Paramount film is not only an epic photoplay but is an enduring record of the bravery and loyalty of our own forefathers. All the courage, the patriotism and the heroism of the first settlers in the United States and sailors are graphically depicted in the picture.

The direction of James Cruze, who also gave us "The Covered Wagon," is a notable achievement. The original story, by Laurence Stallings, author of "What Price Glory" and "The Big Parade," and the adaptation by Harry Carr and Walter Woods are masterpieces. The acting of a superlative cast, headed by Esther Ralston, Wallace Beery, George Bancroft, Charles

Where To Go To-night

Capitol—"Old Ironsides."
Columbia—"The Wizard."
Dunsmuir—"Feel My Pulse."
Playhouse—"Paid to Love."
Variety—"The Cohens and Kellys."
Coliseum—Vaudeville.
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.
Royal—"Polly With a Past."

Farrell and Johnnie Walker appears so natural that it adds much to the sense of vivid reality which the picture creates.

On the stage at the Capitol this week are the De Cecileto, famous dancers of the stage and screen in a novelty offering, Wally Pullman and his banjo, from Jackie Souder's orchestra, and Bert Bennett, the noted Columbia and Vitaphone recording artist, with his "Uke" singing his latest song hits. Harold Bechtel and the Capitol concert orchestra, under the leadership of Al Prescott, complete this fine bill of vaudeville, which will be offered twice daily and three times on Saturday.



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"POLLY WITH A PAST" ON ROYAL STAGE TO-NIGHT

University of British Columbia Players Arrive in City to Present Three-act Comedy Under Auspices of Kiwanis Club

Having played before a large and appreciative audience in Duncan on Saturday, the members of the Players Club of the University of British Columbia, with their director, Professor F. C. C. Wood, arrived in Victoria today. To-night, in the Royal Victoria Theatre they will present the successful three-act comedy, "Polly With a Past," which they have already performed with much acceptance in Vancouver, New Westminster, Ladner, Cloverdale, Chilliwack and Powell River.

This is the thirteenth season in which the Players' Club are visiting

different points of the Province, an annual practice which is looked forward to with pleasure by the citizens of the various centres on the Coast and in the interior. The members of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, who are responsible for the appearance of the University Players in Victoria, are extremely sanguine concerning the patronage the play will receive to-night. The demand for seats has exceeded anticipation, and a capacity house is assured.

The proceeds will go towards augmenting the Kiwanis charitable objectives fund.

Big Triple Bill Offered At Coliseum

Interpretative Dances and Popular Song Numbers on Vaudeville Programme This Week

An exceptionally good vaudeville bill is one of the features of the triple variety offered at the Coliseum. First on the bill is a dainty dancer, in two clever interpretative dances. Next is Elmore Wells, singing two popular numbers in a remarkable baritone voice that is sure to please. Closing the programme is Lambert Lambert Colombin, violinist, who is being held over by popular request. Mr. Colombin has just returned from Europe where he has completed extensive studies. Mr. Colombin is one of the very popular broadcasting stars, and will be heard again over the air this week. He has arranged an entire change of programme that will surprise that of last week.

On the screen are two good feature pictures. Team comedy of the most approved 1928 variety was put into the new Paramount-Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton comedy, "Partners in Crime," the first feature picture. As both had men of the underworld, Beery and Hatton have a prize well worth starting a gang warfare for in Mary Brian, the hazel-eyed actress from Groucho, who has been creating a sensation in leading woman roles since her debut in "Peter Pan."

Frank Strayer, the man who directed Beery and Hatton in "Now We're in the Air," directed the new picture, "Rough House Rosie," starring Clara Bow, is the second picture which concludes this splendid programme.

"The Wizard" With Edmund Lowe Is Columbia Feature

Leila Hyams Has Feminine Role Opposite Star in Film Showing Here

Leila Hyams, who plays the feminine lead opposite Edmund Lowe in "The Wizard," a Fox Films mystery drama, directed by Richard Rosson, is a daughter of John Hyams and Leila McIntyre, well-known vaudeville and stage actors. She started her theatrical career when she was a child and appeared with her parents in "The Girl of My Dreams." She toured the Orpheum circuit with her parents.

In 1925 she appeared in "Going Crooked" on the legitimate stage. "Later she played small parts for the screen, but it was not until she was cast in "Summer Bachelors" that her winsome beauty and fine artistry was recognized. Fox Films, on the lookout for promising players after their success in developing such outstanding hits as George O'Brien, Charles Farrell, Janet Gaynor and Olive Borden, gave Miss Hyams her opportunity to play the leading feminine role in "The Wizard," now showing at the Columbia Theatre. Undoubtedly she proves by her performance in this that it is only a matter of a short time before she will be playing as a star.

Film Production Delayed One Year For Star Actor

"Cohens and Kellys" at Variety Was Held for Charlie Murray

Time and tide wait for no man. But a role in a motion picture will wait for an actor for an entire year if the actor is deemed necessary to the success of the film play. Universal was forced to wait twelve months to secure the service of Charlie Murray for one of the leads in "The Cohens and Kellys," the picture which is being shown at the Variety Theatre this week.

Having purchased Aaron Hoffmann's famous stage play, Carl Laemmle felt that no man was so suited to the role as Charlie Murray, so it was decided to hold up production until Murray was available. At the time, Murray was busy and also had five contracts in his pocket to play in other pictures. Universal got next in line and after patiently waiting a year for the great comedian, Harry Pollard, was assigned to direct the picture. George Sidney and Vera Gordon meanwhile had been signed to play the other featured roles.

Beery-Hatton Combination In Coliseum Film

Paramount Honor Student Has Juvenile Lead in "Partners in Crime"

Jack Luden, honor student of the Paramount pictures school, plays the juvenile male lead in the Wallace Beery-Raymond Hatton melodramatic comedy, "Partners in Crime," now showing at the Coliseum Theatre. He plays opposite Mary Brian in the Beery-Hatton picture. Luden and Miss Brian recently played together in "Two Flaming Youths," the W. C. Fields and Chester

Colleen Moore Has Emotional Part in Picture

"So Big," First National Hit, Opens This Week at Playhouse

Colleen Moore has smashed more screen precedents than any other actress in London. Her latest smash is in her new First National picture, "So Big," at the Playhouse Theatre.

It has been motion picture tradition, almost, that if some actor made his first success while wearing a beard, he must continue to wear a beard in order to hold his following. And if some actress gained popularity as a vampire, she is doomed to vampire roles, or else she loses public favor.

Colleen, however, has never played one role consistently, and yet her popularity continues to grow enormously. While flapper roles have been her forte recently, she is now, in "So Big," portraying a tensely emotional role of three personalities.

CLUB SOLOISTS AT ARION CONCERT

Notable Programme at Royal Victoria Tuesday

Members of the Arion Club will act as soloists when the club presents its second concert of the thirty-sixth season at the Royal Victoria Theatre tomorrow evening. Frank Sehl will act as conductor and Mrs. C. C. Warn and Philip H. Hughes will be the accompanists for the following attractive programme.

"Lullaby" G. M. Von Weber
(a) "Maretta" Jan Gall
(b) "Evening" Franz Abt
Incidental solo, Ivan Green
Solo—"Even Bravest Hearts" Gounod
Arthur Gore
"Funiculi-Funicula" Luigi Denza
"A Lullaby" Lee Williams
Solo—"He Went to a Party" Geo. Grossmith
George Phillips
"Pilgrims' Chorus" ("Tannhauser") Wagner
By request
"The Lost Obed" Sullivan
Solo—"Cielo e Mar" ("La Gioconda") Ponchielli
Thos. Kelway
"The Night" Beethoven
Solo—"The First Cigar" Corney Grain
J. V. Scribner
Male Quartette—"A Little Close Harmony"
Messrs. F. L. Tupman, W. Draper,
J. W. Buckler, A. W. Palmer
"King Olaf's Christmas" Dudley Buck
Soloists:
F. L. Jones, tenor; W. G. H. Pirth, baritone.

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PLAYHOUSE

HALF MILLION EYES SEE GREAT INTERNATIONAL BEAUTY CONTEST



The annual beauty pageant at Galveston, Texas, attracts contestants from all parts of the world and draws a quarter of a million people. "Miss Victoria" will be chosen at the local contest this week to compete for the title of "Miss Canada," who will represent this country at Galveston June 2 to 5.

Metochosin

Metochosin, May 7.—The regular meeting of the Metochosin W.I. was held in the committee room of the Metochosin Hall on Wednesday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. H. M. Bolton, occupying the chair. The

treasurer reported the flower show showed a satisfactory balance. A resolution from the Colwood W.I. regarding a memorial to the founder of the Women's Institutes in Canada, was laid over for further consideration. The quarterly report of the Travelers' Aid Society was received. A letter of thanks was received from the Queen

Alexandra Solarium for sewing done for the patients. Requests from the Vancouver Exhibition committee for an exhibit and the Victoria May Day committee for a float to take part in the parade, were refused owing to lack of time for preparation. Among the activities planned by the Institute are a strawberry tea to be

held in Mrs. W. L. Griffith's garden in June, and a garden fete to be held in August at Hatley Park. At the conclusion of the meeting afternoon tea was served by Mrs. A. Georgeon and Mrs. H. C. Helgeson.

EARTHQUAKES IN GREECE

Athens, Greece, May 7.—Four slight earthquake shocks were felt in Corinth Saturday.

The harlequin snake has its teeth arranged like a cat's.

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HILARIOUS FARCE COMEDY WITH BEBE DANIELS HEADS DOMINION BILL THIS WEEK

In "Feel My Pulse," Miss Daniels Plays Daughter of Wealthy Man Seeking Health; Richard Arlen Has Male Lead; Beauty Contest for Miss Victoria, 1928, Is Also Featured This Week

The cast of "Feel My Pulse," Bebe Daniels' latest starring vehicle for Paramount, is made up of some of Hollywood's best known characters. This farce comedy, which is showing at the Dominion Theatre, has more than enough room for the characters in which they may do their stuff, for it is full of fast and comic sequences.

Bebe is the daughter of a very wealthy man whose hobby was health. His daughter having inherited this paternal desire, is always on the lookout for that ray which will make of her the most robust of women. She is always feeling ill and her uncle in order to cure her sends her to a private sanitarium. This sanitarium is used by a group of bootleggers as their headquarters.

A MOTHER'S DELIGHT!

is to feel that her daughter some day will play the piano beautifully. Practice days are not easy days either for the little girl or the mother; BUT, OH WHAT JOY IN LATER YEARS comes to both mother and daughter.

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ANNUAL CONCERT

By Girls' Choir and the Orchestra of Victoria High School in
THE AUDITORIUM, SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1928, 8 P.M.
Tickets 25c—On Sale at Fletcher's Music Store

Season Tickets Are Now Available

Commencing May 1, season tickets for swimming only will be available and applications for these tickets may now be made at the Box Office, Crystal Garden. The following special tariff has been arranged:

Adults

Single Tickets, each	\$20
Two in Family, each	\$15
Three in Family, each	\$12.50

Special Season Tickets for Students and Children

Children and bona fide students of all schools in Greater Victoria—public, private, high schools and colleges, may obtain season tickets for swimming at the special rate of. **\$10**

Swimmers must supply their own suit and towel. Season tickets are good during the period of one year from date of issue.

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Every Monday is "Learn to Swim Day." The pool is reserved Monday morning for women and children. Free instruction all day. Bring your own suit and towel and swim for **25c**

Crystal Garden

swimming boom at the Gorge. The commissioner will publish shortly regulations for the use of the high diving stand, as at the lower levels of the tide there is not sufficient water for its use.

The scouts' council will hold its monthly meeting on May 9. It is hoped that there will be a full attendance, as the commissioner wishes to complete arrangements for the garden party on May 26, and for May 24 activities. The status of the council and larger representation on the executive will be discussed.

Last Saturday His Excellency the Chief Scout for Canada inspected the scouts and cubs of Ladysmith, Chemainus, Duncan and Cowichan. Assistant Provincial Commissioner Ravenhill, who was up-Island for the occasion, attended the meetings of the Ladysmith troop and pack. He feels that great credit is due to A.S.M. Pat Maxwell for the excellent way in which he has carried on the troop while S.M. Martin has been absent.

The "scouts' own" service held at the Gorge last Sunday was well attended, scouts from St. Mary's, Fairfield, Tillicum, St. Paul's, Oaklands, North Quadra, St. Michael's and third troops and cubs from St. Mary's North and South, Fairfield, Oaklands, Third, St. Paul's and Royal Oak packs, as well as several parents and friends being present.

TREE IDENTIFICATION
Oregon Crabapple—Generally grows in the form of a thicket; bark brown; bark on old trunks is very scaly and looks very mature; usually grows somewhat in the "dog's leg" shape of an axe handle, for which it is very good. The tree is covered with poorly developed thorns (it is by these that it can be readily distinguished from the native Hawthorn). The leaves generally have three lobes, though they vary much, many being quite plain.

In Spring the tree is covered with little blossoms which come in groups of six and twelve. Later in the year these become little apples, each about the size of a bean. The crab and the Hawthorn are readily distinguished from all other trees by their bark, but in this respect they resemble each other very much. They may be distinguished, however, at all times by their thorns and, of course, by their fruit. Found at Lost Lake and Mt. Tolmie.

Black Hawthorn—This tree usually grows in thickets, its bark is very scaly when old. The trunks are usually straight, about three to five inches in diameter. It is covered with well-developed thorns, and when young the bark has a distinctly silvery appearance. The leaves are about two inches long and one inch wide, with several small lobes at the end. Bears small blossoms in Spring in bunches of four or five, these later becoming blackberries. Found at north side of Uplands golf course and scout ground at Gorge.

Bitter Cherry—The bark resembles ordinary cherry bark; it is something like red birch bark. The tree usually grows rather slender; the leaves are small, two inches long and half-inch wide, similar to eating cherry leaf but smaller. The fruit is a small red berry, very bitter. The tree is picked out easily by inspecting the bark. Owing to the smallness of the leaves, the tree looks to have very little foliage. Found at scout ground at Gorge and at the back of Mt. Tolmie.

Bird Cherry (Oso Berry)—A small shrub like tree with large leaves, about five inches long and 1 1/2 inches wide. The leaves are very soft and thin and

slightly bigger toward the end than in the middle. It is most easily found by its common occurrence, and the fact that it is about the first thing to come out in the Spring. It can be found at the scout ground at the Gorge, overlooking the Cook Street boulevard from Beacon Hill Park, at Mt. Tolmie—in fact, almost anywhere.

Cascara (Bear Berry, Barbara Bark)—This tree has slightly greenish-grey bark somewhat resembling alder, with a low and the service berry. It has a peculiarity of growth in the way its branches grow out right angles to the stems and then curve back a bit. The leaf is very thin, light green, prominently veined on the back, and about four to five inches long and about two inches wide. It is practically plain all round the edge and runs to a very blunt point. The shape of the point is very similar to the bow of a canal barge. The fruit of the tree is a smooth black berry, as big as a small marble. Found at Gorge ground and Mt. Tolmie.

Swamp Dogwood—Inhabits swamps; is very commonly a fallen tree with all its branches growing straight up from the trunk, the lower ones curving round, giving it a "grawling" effect. The leaf in color and size is very like that of the cascara, but it is much more pointed and veins run more round toward the point. The bark on the twigs is usually a very rich green or bright red. It can be found in almost any swamp.

Western Flowering Dogwood—This tree is easily recognized in the Spring by its prominent flower with its white petal-like scales. And in the late Summer and Fall by its clusters of red fruit and red and yellow foliage. Ordinarily the leaf is very similar to the swamp dogwood, but the tree grows erect and is unmistakably different in its appearance. Found at Durrance Lake.

Western Service Berry (Saskatoon)—This tree, usually little more than a bush, has bark very similar to the cascara, but the leaf is very similar to that of the ordinary wild rose (nearly round, smooth on the end toward the stem and slightly toothed on the other end). The berry is blue-black in color and quite good to eat. It can be found at the Gorge ground and the Fairfield Finery Camp.

TROOP NOTES
Third Troop—Recruits were taken in tenderfoot work, specializing on scout law. The scouts worked on first aid. St. Mary's Troop—District Scoutmaster Wilf Hartley was a visitor at the meeting last week. The following tests were passed: John Hodges and John Forbes, second class; Albert Cliff and Geoffrey Rice-Jones, compass; Jack Holden and Joe Holroyd, Kim's game; Basil Shaw, Richard Shaw and Albert Cliff, first-class accidents; George Cliff and Edgar Horn, tenderfoot tests. Albert Cliff and Joe Holroyd have completed the second-class test.

St. Michael's Troop—Some of the troop were at Finerty last Saturday night. Some time was given to the examination of a collection of tree specimens and signalling practice was continued in readiness for the sports next week. A few scouts were at Finerty last week-end and Scoutmaster Prampton, Acting Scoutmaster Walter Walsh and one scout camped there Saturday night. To-morrow afternoon the troop is going to Finerty to practice cooking for the sports.

North Quadra Troop—At the last meeting the "hawks" won the inspection and the flag relay, and the "eagles" won the knot relay. As an observation test, the troop was told that the Scoutmaster's automobile had been stolen and were asked to give a description of it. An introductory talk on first aid was given and Acting Scoutmasters Harman and Evans worked with the recruits. The patrol competition now stands: "Eagles," 39; "Hawks," 46.

The troop and pack committee will meet at troop headquarters at 8 p.m. next Friday.

WOLF CUB NEWS

Wolf Cub Questionnaire—Of how many cubs is the Union Jack composed?

What is the sheet bend knot used for?

What is the danger of dirt in a scratch?

What are the names of the letters which have special names in signalling?

What do the two fingers in the cub salute signify?

How would you stop bleeding from the nose?

Answers to these questions will be given next week.

Collegiate Pack—At the last pack meeting Tom Maybee received his first aid badge and E. Boak his guide badge. Akela Miller held an impressive ceremony in which she invested the following cubs with the first star: P. Clowes, J. Harman, M. Harmanston and B. Cutforth. The tenderpads worked at knots with Cub Instructor Board and the first-star cubs practiced signalling and the compass points. The whole pack played the somersault, leapfrog and knotting relay out of doors.

Fairfield Pack—Signalling work was in charge of Scout Hill-Tout. Ball catching, flag and knots were practiced under the supervision of the Sixers, also a game, tag-the-cat, was played by the whole pack. Two cubs opened their first eye and received the first star. Their names are T. Hodnett and Myron Ashton. They are both working extra hard to get both eyes open. Senior Sixer J. Ferguson received his fourth-year service star.

North Quadra Pack—The sixers' council held a meeting for reorganization at Akela Spurr's house last Monday afternoon. Those attending were Sixers H. Parrott and Billie Oakley and Second Laurence Hill and Stanley Lever and Cub Instructor Rex Peters. Akela opened the meeting by explaining the uses of a sixers' council. It was decided to form a badge class for second star cubs, to meet each Tuesday at 4 p.m. The first badge to be taken up will be the "first aider." Each sixer has undertaken to make a chart to record the fees for his six, and marks will be given to the six producing the best chart. The jungle dance competition and the scout and cub garden party to be held on May 26 were discussed. It was also decided to hold an open-air cub meeting at the Gorge in the near future.

Oaklands Pack—Akela Duncan explained the cub law and promise to the recruits and the tenderpads learned

their second knot. The boys working to open their second eyes practiced plank-walking and the points of the compass. Signalling was practiced by those cubs who are entering for the signalling competition on May 5. Several games were played, and Leonard Smith passed his last star test, very creditably, and will receive it at the next meeting.

St. Mary's North Pack—Signalling was practiced by the sixers and second and first and second star work consisted of knots, skipping and flag work. The whole pack practiced the jungle dances of Baghera and Kas. Senior Sixer W. Gornall received his observer's badge and Sixer Brenton Murdoch his house orderly.

Royal Oak Pack—At the last meeting the pack worked on the sports programme and skipping, which was taken charge of by Stanley Hultford, while Acting Second McKinley took charge of knotting. The whole pack played "bomb the dugout." Fred Bradstock was welcomed as a new recruit.

Third Pack—W. J. Munroe was a welcome visitor to the last pack meeting held on Monday, April 30, and took Tommy Wilson through his first star tests, which the latter passed successfully. Bobby Roberts also repassed his first star. Akela Slater gave simple instruction in cub drawing, the drawings being made from straight lines, and circles, after which the cubs drew sketches of persons walking, running and kneeling. Cub instructor Norman Phipps took the tenderpads through the cub law and promise. David Slater was welcomed as a new recruit, and Gerald Hughes was welcomed back to the cub circle after six months leave.

Colwood
Colwood, May 7.—The Rev. H. B. Allen, Vicar of St. John's Church, is attending the Horticultural Show in Vancouver.

The meeting of the senior Women's Auxiliary to St. John's Church will be held Wednesday, May 9, at the home of Miss Scott, Woodlawn Avenue.

St. Princess Kathleen takes an excursion to Seattle, Saturday, May 12, leaving at 9 a.m.

Are there going to be any raptures tomorrow about that good meal you're all set to savor away tonight. Better take Seigel's Syrup. Ask drug store. (Adv.)

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TO-DAY'S GRAIN MARKETS

Winnipeg, May 7.—In observance of Arbor Day, the Winnipeg Grain Exchange was closed to-day.

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Chicago, May 7.—The wheat market was largely a professional affair to-day and the net result was a small decline. Although there was some selling of the current delivery at times, the nearby wheat showed a tendency to gain on the later months. A sharp decrease in stocks on passage is a fact which is likely to cause further narrowing of the spread between Liverpool and our market, especially in view of the fact that what little information we can get from Europe indicates that their crop is doing none too well.

Crop advices from our southwest were contradictory, but reports from good people both in Oklahoma and Kansas indicate that present progress had not been any too satisfactory. We continue to feel that the influence on winter wheat has pretty well run its course unless the Government report on Wednesday shows a material change from the private crop reports. Spring wheat territory will therefore be the influencing factor.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	109	109 1/2	109	109 1/2
Oct.	108 1/2	109	108 1/2	109
Nov.	108	108 1/2	108	108 1/2
Dec.	107 1/2	108	107 1/2	108
Jan.	107	107 1/2	107	107 1/2
Feb.	106 1/2	107	106 1/2	107
Mar.	106	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
Apr.	105 1/2	106	105 1/2	106
May	105	105 1/2	105	105 1/2
June	104 1/2	105	104 1/2	105
July	104	104 1/2	104	104 1/2
Aug.	103 1/2	104	103 1/2	104
Sept.	103	103 1/2	103	103 1/2
Oct.	102 1/2	103	102 1/2	103
Nov.	102	102 1/2	102	102 1/2
Dec.	101 1/2	102	101 1/2	102
Jan.	101	101 1/2	101	101 1/2
Feb.	100 1/2	101	100 1/2	101
Mar.	100	100 1/2	100	100 1/2
Apr.	99 1/2	100	99 1/2	100
May	99	99 1/2	99	99 1/2
June	98 1/2	99	98 1/2	99
July	98	98 1/2	98	98 1/2
Aug.	97 1/2	98	97 1/2	98
Sept.	97	97 1/2	97	97 1/2
Oct.	96 1/2	97	96 1/2	97
Nov.	96	96 1/2	96	96 1/2
Dec.	95 1/2	96	95 1/2	96
Jan.	95	95 1/2	95	95 1/2
Feb.	94 1/2	95	94 1/2	95
Mar.	94	94 1/2	94	94 1/2
Apr.	93 1/2	94	93 1/2	94
May	93	93 1/2	93	93 1/2
June	92 1/2	93	92 1/2	93
July	92	92 1/2	92	92 1/2
Aug.	91 1/2	92	91 1/2	92
Sept.	91	91 1/2	91	91 1/2
Oct.	90 1/2	91	90 1/2	91
Nov.	90	90 1/2	90	90 1/2
Dec.	89 1/2	90	89 1/2	90
Jan.	89	89 1/2	89	89 1/2
Feb.	88 1/2	89	88 1/2	89
Mar.	88	88 1/2	88	88 1/2
Apr.	87 1/2	88	87 1/2	88
May	87	87 1/2	87	87 1/2
June	86 1/2	87	86 1/2	87
July	86	86 1/2	86	86 1/2
Aug.	85 1/2	86	85 1/2	86
Sept.	85	85 1/2	85	85 1/2
Oct.	84 1/2	85	84 1/2	85
Nov.	84	84 1/2	84	84 1/2
Dec.	83 1/2	84	83 1/2	84
Jan.	83	83 1/2	83	83 1/2
Feb.	82 1/2	83	82 1/2	83
Mar.	82	82 1/2	82	82 1/2
Apr.	81 1/2	82	81 1/2	82
May	81	81 1/2	81	81 1/2
June	80 1/2	81	80 1/2	81
July	80	80 1/2	80	80 1/2
Aug.	79 1/2	80	79 1/2	80
Sept.	79	79 1/2	79	79 1/2
Oct.	78 1/2	79	78 1/2	79
Nov.	78	78 1/2	78	78 1/2
Dec.	77 1/2	78	77 1/2	78
Jan.	77	77 1/2	77	77 1/2
Feb.	76 1/2	77	76 1/2	77
Mar.	76	76 1/2	76	76 1/2
Apr.	75 1/2	76	75 1/2	76
May	75	75 1/2	75	75 1/2
June	74 1/2	75	74 1/2	75
July	74	74 1/2	74	74 1/2
Aug.	73 1/2	74	73 1/2	74
Sept.	73	73 1/2	73	73 1/2
Oct.	72 1/2	73	72 1/2	73
Nov.	72	72 1/2	72	72 1/2
Dec.	71 1/2	72	71 1/2	72
Jan.	71	71 1/2	71	71 1/2
Feb.	70 1/2	71	70 1/2	71
Mar.	70	70 1/2	70	70 1/2
Apr.	69 1/2	70	69 1/2	70
May	69	69 1/2	69	69 1/2
June	68 1/2	69	68 1/2	69
July	68	68 1/2	68	68 1/2
Aug.	67 1/2	68	67 1/2	68
Sept.	67	67 1/2	67	67 1/2
Oct.	66 1/2	67	66 1/2	67
Nov.	66	66 1/2	66	66 1/2
Dec.	65 1/2	66	65 1/2	66
Jan.	65	65 1/2	65	65 1/2
Feb.	64 1/2	65	64 1/2	65
Mar.	64	64 1/2	64	64 1/2
Apr.	63 1/2	64	63 1/2	64
May	63	63 1/2	63	63 1/2
June	62 1/2	63	62 1/2	63
July	62	62 1/2	62	62 1/2
Aug.	61 1/2	62	61 1/2	62
Sept.	61	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Oct.	60 1/2	61	60 1/2	61
Nov.	60	60 1/2	60	60 1/2
Dec.	59 1/2	60	59 1/2	60
Jan.	59	59 1/2	59	59 1/2
Feb.	58 1/2	59	58 1/2	59
Mar.	58	58 1/2	58	58 1/2
Apr.	57 1/2	58	57 1/2	58
May	57	57 1/2	57	57 1/2
June	56 1/2	57	56 1/2	57
July	56	56 1/2	56	56 1/2
Aug.	55 1/2	56	55 1/2	56
Sept.	55	55 1/2	55	55 1/2
Oct.	54 1/2	55	54 1/2	55
Nov.	54	54 1/2	54	54 1/2
Dec.	53 1/2	54	53 1/2	54
Jan.	53	53 1/2	53	53 1/2
Feb.	52 1/2	53	52 1/2	53
Mar.	52	52 1/2	52	52 1/2
Apr.	51 1/2	52	51 1/2	52
May	51	51 1/2	51	51 1/2
June	50 1/2	51	50 1/2	51
July	50	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
Aug.	49 1/2	50	49 1/2	50
Sept.	49	49 1/2	49	49 1/2
Oct.	48 1/2	49	48 1/2	49
Nov.	48	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
Dec.	47 1/2	48	47 1/2	48
Jan.	47	47 1/2	47	47 1/2
Feb.	46 1/2	47	46 1/2	47
Mar.	46	46 1/2	46	46 1/2
Apr.	45 1/2	46	45 1/2	46
May	45	45 1/2	45	45 1/2
June	44 1/2	45	44 1/2	45
July	44	44 1/2	44	44 1/2
Aug.	43 1/2	44	43 1/2	44
Sept.	43	43 1/2	43	43 1/2
Oct.	42 1/2	43	42 1/2	43
Nov.	42	42 1/2	42	42 1/2
Dec.	41 1/2	42	41 1/2	42
Jan.	41	41 1/2	41	41 1/2
Feb.	40 1/2	41	40 1/2	41
Mar.	40	40 1/2	40	40 1/2
Apr.	39 1/2	40	39 1/2	40
May	39	39 1/2	39	39 1/2
June	38 1/2	39	38 1/2	39
July	38	38 1/2	38	38 1/2
Aug.	37 1/2	38	37 1/2	38
Sept.	37	37 1/2	37	37 1/2
Oct.	36 1/2	37	36 1/2	37
Nov.	36	36 1/2	36	36 1/2
Dec.	35 1/2	36	35 1/2	36
Jan.	35	35 1/2	35	35 1/2
Feb.	34 1/2	35	34 1/2	35
Mar.	34	34 1/2	34	34 1/2
Apr.	33 1/2	34	33 1/2	34
May	33	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
June	32 1/2	33	32 1/2	33
July	32	32 1/2	32	32 1/2
Aug.	31 1/2	32	31 1/2	32
Sept.	31	31 1/2	31	31 1/2
Oct.	30 1/2	31	30 1/2	31
Nov.	30	30 1/2	30	30 1/2
Dec.	29 1/2	30	29 1/2	30
Jan.	29	29 1/2	29	29 1/2
Feb.	28 1/2	29	28 1/2	29
Mar.	28	28 1/2	28	28 1/2
Apr.	27 1/2	28	27 1/2	28
May	27	27 1/2	27	27 1/2
June	26 1/2	27	26 1/2	27
July	26	26 1/2	26	26 1/2
Aug.	25 1/2	26	25 1/2	26
Sept.	25	25 1/2	25	25 1/2
Oct.	24 1/2	25	24 1/2	25
Nov.	24	24 1/2	24	24 1/2
Dec.	23 1/2	24	23 1/2	24
Jan.	23	23 1/2	23	23 1/2
Feb.	22 1/2	23	22 1/2	23
Mar.	22	22 1/2	22	22 1/2
Apr.	21 1/2	22	21 1/2	22
May	21	21 1/2	21	21 1/2
June	20 1/2	21	20 1/2	21
July	20	20 1/2	20	20 1/2
Aug.	19 1/2	20	19 1/2	20
Sept.	19	19 1/2	19	19 1/2
Oct.	18 1/2	19	18 1/2	19
Nov.	18	18 1/2	18	18 1/2
Dec.	17 1/2	18	17 1/2	18
Jan.	17	17 1/2	17	17 1/2
Feb.	16 1/2	17	16 1/2	17
Mar.	16	16 1/2	16	16 1/2
Apr.	15 1/2	16	15 1/2	16
May	15	15 1/2	15	15 1/2
June	14 1/2	15	14 1/2	15
July	14	14 1/2	14	14 1/2
Aug.	13 1/2	14	13 1/2	14
Sept.	13	13 1/2	13	13 1/2
Oct.	12 1/2	13	12 1/2	13
Nov.	12	12 1/2	12	12 1/2
Dec.	11 1/2	12	11 1/2	12
Jan.	11	11 1/2	11	11 1/2
Feb.	10 1/2	11	10 1/2	11
Mar.	10	10 1/2	10	10 1/2
Apr.	9 1/2	10	9 1/2	10
May	9	9 1/2	9	9 1/2
June	8 1/2	9	8 1/2	9
July	8	8 1/2	8	8 1/2
Aug.	7 1/2	8	7 1/2	8
Sept.	7	7 1/2	7	7 1/2
Oct.	6 1/2	7	6 1/2	7
Nov.	6	6 1/2	6	6 1/2
Dec.	5 1/2	6	5 1/2	6
Jan.	5	5 1/2	5	5 1/2
Feb.	4 1/2	5	4 1/2	5
Mar.	4	4 1/2	4	4 1/2
Apr.	3 1/2	4	3 1/2	4
May	3	3 1/2	3	3 1/2
June	2 1/2	3	2 1/2	3
July	2	2 1/2	2	2 1/2
Aug.	1 1/2	2	1 1/2	2
Sept.	1	1 1/2	1	1 1/2
Oct.	1/2	1	1/2	1
Nov.	0	1/2	0	1/2
Dec.	0	0	0	0
Jan.	0	0	0	0
Feb.	0	0	0	0
Mar.	0	0	0	0
Apr.	0	0	0	0
May	0	0	0	0
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Nov.	0	0	0	0
Dec.	0	0	0	0
Jan.	0	0	0	0
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Nov.	0	0	0	0
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May	0	0	0	0

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THE KILLER



The great whales of the deep do not eat each other, but the whale pictured above is a cannibal, called the Orca or Killer. Several Orcas band together to slay the other whales. The Killer is twenty feet long and has terrible teeth. The Killer has a huge appetite. Thirteen porpoises and fourteen seals have been found in the stomach of one.

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The name Killer was given because several of these animals were known to attack a Greenland whale and pull it under.

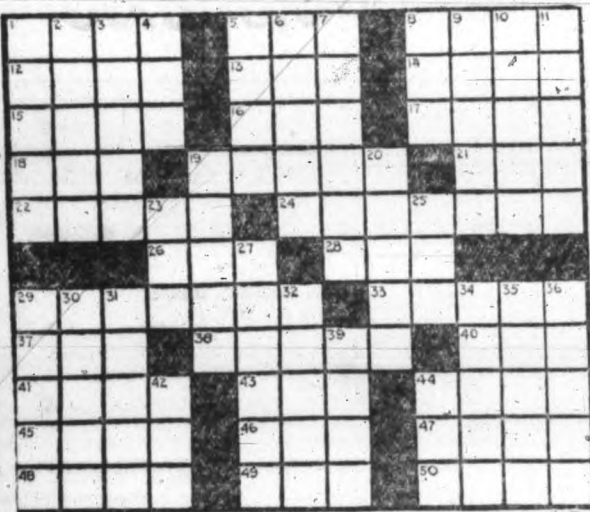


Northern explorers have seen Killers raise themselves six feet out of water, trying to reach ponies being ferried across the open water.



On Shackleton's voyage, the strength of these great Orcas was realized for the first time when the mighty beasts, swimming under water, were seen to smash ice three feet thick above them so they could come to the surface for air. They have been known to tip huge ice-floes on which men were camped.

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HORIZONTAL

- Popular fashions.
- Almost a donkey.
- Plaid rock.
- Opposite of weather.
- To harden.
- Imitates.
- Garment.
- Before.
- Moist.
- Black bird of the cuckoo family.
- Malet of a presiding officer.
- To regret exceedingly.
- To restrain.
- Built.
- Wand.
- Capuchin monkey.
- Plaster.
- Not fresh.
- Silk worm.
- Growing out.
- Uncooked.
- Pause.
- Native metal.
- System of signals.
- In.
- Afternoon meal.
- Employer.
- To endure.
- To make a mistake.
- Small inclosures for animals.

VERTICAL

- Practical unit of electrical capacity.
- Solitary.
- Opposite of credit.
- To observe.
- Toward sea.
- To wait upon.
- Guide.
- Boy.
- Aside.
- The place where the trial is held.
- Questioned.
- Small wood.

SELDEN MOFFAT
TRAIN G FOLLY
ONCE PIP PILL
NE SOBERT E
EM STARTED AR
AREA A SOLD
BY TRELLIS OR
A P SATIN I U
CLOY RAP ORAL
OILED R PRIME
NELSON CAESAR

(Solution of Saturday's Puzzle)

To-morrow's Horoscope

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1928

Astrologers read this as rather an uncertain day, but benefic aspects are dominant. This should be an auspicious rule

under which to solicit loans or political support of any sort. The stars foretell surprises in the national campaign, which is to be bitterly fought. Personalities will be much discussed and not at all kindly. There is a promising sign for those who desire to start in new positions or business ventures. According to the stars individuals in

independent business enterprises are to have hard struggles, for astrologers foresee even greater combinations of capital than formerly. All will be mass production and mass merchandising, if the planetary indications are rightly interpreted. This is an exceedingly good day for beginning any sort of a journey, and most auspicious for ocean voyages.

The stars presage much travel abroad in aeroplanes as well as motor cars, but care should be taken to safeguard life, for sinister signs are read. It is repeatedly foretold by seers that the reign of crime and vice will be ended by a public movement in which there is a modern Joan of Arc. Women's organizations now come under a planetary rule which is stim-

ulating and helpful. One of these will contribute much to the world of industry. From the colleges are to come both men and women who will bring to national life scientific knowledge which will assure widespread reforms, astrologers prognosticate. Persons whose birthdate it is may meet enemies in the coming year, and

they should be unusually circumspect, use of drugs may be expected early in the summer. Amazing revelations regarding the Children born on this day probably will have a talent for keeping order and for directing work. These subjects of this sign should be methodical and executive. (Copyright, 1928)

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

—By AHERN SCHOOL DAYS

—By DWIG



ELLA CINDERS—Bon Voyage, Asa

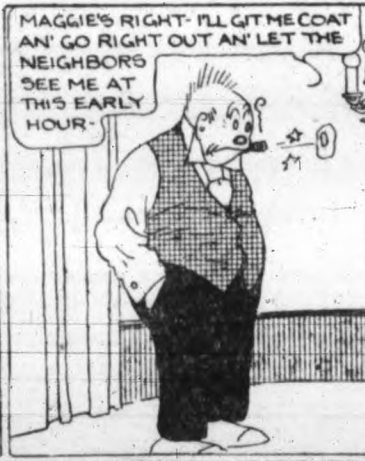
—By BILL CONSELMAN and CHARLIE PLUMB



THAT'S ASA'S FINISH! And much too good for him, if you ask us!

BRINGING UP FATHER

—By GEORGE McMANUS



MUTT AND JEFF—Mutt Is Dan Cupid's First Lieutenant

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CONTINUED TOMORROW

Street Railway Patrons IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Effective Monday Morning
May 7

During repaving operations on Douglas Street, between View and Fort Streets, and the renewal of the car tracks over the same portion

All Fort Street Cars

will make the corner of Fort and Douglas Streets their city terminus.

CARS WILL NOT GO ROUND THE YATES AND GOVERNMENT STREETS LOOP

Hillside Cars

will be routed from the Hillside terminus to the city via Government Street, returning directly to the Hillside terminus via Yates and Douglas Streets.

THERE WILL BE NO THROUGH SERVICE BETWEEN HILLSIDE AND FOUL BAY

Burnside Cars

will be routed from the Burnside terminus to the city via Government Street, returning directly to the Burnside terminus via Yates and Douglas Streets. There will be a 20-minute service on this route for the time being.

THERE WILL BE NO THROUGH SERVICE BETWEEN BURNSIDE AND MOUNT TOLMIE

All schedules, with the exception of the Burnside route, will remain unchanged.

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MAN TRAVELERS ON C.P.R. LINER

Empress of Canada Has
Large List of Prominent
World People

People prominent in business and society in the Orient, in England and in the United States were among passengers arriving here aboard the Empress of Canada from the Far East yesterday.

The Canada brought a list of 1,095 passengers in all classes, one of the largest lists carried by one of the Canadian Pacific Railway liners for several months. Of this number nearly 400 were cabin travelers, the remainder being third-class and steerage.

Col. John G. Foster, formerly United States consul general at Ottawa, was a passenger in the first class list, with Mrs. Foster. He is returning to his home in Vermont after a trip to the Orient.

Hon. E. C. H. Wolff of Singapore, prominent in the civil service of the Federated Malay States, was accompanied by Mrs. Wolff en route to the Old Country.

On his way to England was H. G. W. Woodhead, C.B.E., Editor of The Peking and Tientsin Times. Mr. Woodhead spoke favorably of the Chinese situation as it appears at the present, but the intervention of Japanese troops was a serious trouble, he believed.

Marquis G. A. Saline Amorini and Count G. G. Kingham of Paris, the tour of the world, having thoroughly enjoyed their stay in the Orient. They will proceed at a leisurely rate through the United States and Canada.

Walter S. Leeds and L. P. Hammond, prominent financiers of New York City were returning from visits in the Far East.

C.P. OFFICIALS
Mr. Fitzgerald and Allan Cameron were Canadian Pacific officials returning from the Far East. Mr. Cameron is Oriental manager for the service and Mr. Fitzgerald the general agent at Yokohama.

Y. Yamazaki who is with the Japanese firm Mitsui-Bussan Kaisha was en route to the company's New York office with his wife.

Several Shanghai people were passengers on the vessel including: Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Levy, Capt. A. R. Hooton, harbor master at Shanghai and Mrs. Hooton, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Joseph and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, resident physician at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Beynell en route to Europe, W. R. Walter of the Shanghai Waterworks, with Mrs. Walter and P. W. O. Liddell of Liddell Bros. Shanghai, with his family on vacation.

ARMY MAN
Among the other prominent passengers on the ship were J. P. Fish, Japanese manager for the International General Electric Company with Mrs. Fish; E. J. Nathan of Tientsin, assistant general manager of the Kaiping Mining Administration, and his family; I. H. Geare, general manager of the Vacuum Oil Company at Hongkong; D. Templeton, manager of the Taikeo Sugar Refining Company, en route to England with Mrs. Templeton; Lt. Col. R. G. Clarke, C.M.G., D.S.O., commander of the Queen's Royal Regiment, on vacation to England; and G. A. Buchanan, the Laird of Gask, Scotland, on a round-the-world trip.

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1.....	4:16 p.m.	4:07 a.m.	
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4.....	7:32 p.m.	4:59 a.m.	Pull Moon
5.....	8:37 p.m.	5:19 a.m.	
6.....	9:42 p.m.	5:46 a.m.	
7.....	10:45 p.m.	6:17 a.m.	
8.....	11:47 p.m.	6:55 a.m.	
9.....	12:48 a.m.	7:43 a.m.	
10.....	1:48 a.m.	8:40 a.m.	
11.....	2:46 a.m.	9:46 a.m.	
12.....	3:42 a.m.	10:58 a.m.	Last Quarter
13.....	4:36 a.m.	12:11 p.m.	
14.....	5:28 a.m.	1:28 p.m.	
15.....	6:18 a.m.	2:49 p.m.	
16.....	7:06 a.m.	4:09 p.m.	
17.....	7:52 a.m.	5:23 p.m.	
18.....	8:36 a.m.	6:34 p.m.	
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23.....	11:46 a.m.	11:39 p.m.	
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30.....	2:51 p.m.	4:56 a.m.	

Note—These times are correct to within one or two minutes.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

TABLE SHOWING TRANSIT TIME FROM VICTORIA	
East-bound daily, including Sunday.	Air mail closing to-night at 11 o'clock.
Boise, Idaho, arrives day after tomorrow, 9:20 a.m.	
Boston, Mass., arrives on the fourth day, 5:35 a.m.	
Buffalo, N.Y., arrives on the third day, 2:00 p.m.	
Chicago, Ill., arrives on the third day, 8:45 a.m.	
Cleveland, Ohio, arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.	
Dallas, Texas, arrives on the fourth day, 9:25 p.m.	
Denver, Colo., arrives on the third day, 6:55 a.m.	
Detroit, Mich., arrives on the third day, 12 noon.	
Minneapolis, Minn., arrives on the third day, 11:40 a.m.	
New Orleans, La., arrives on the fourth day, 10:30 a.m.	
New York, N.Y., arrives on the third day, 6:40 p.m.	
Omaha, Neb., arrives on the third day, 12:30 a.m.	
Ottawa, Can., arrives on the fourth day, 7 p.m.	
Philadelphia, Pa., arrives on the third day, 7:55 p.m.	
Pittsburgh, Pa., arrives on the third day, 1:45 p.m.	
St. Louis, Mo., arrives on the third day, 9:15 a.m.	
St. Paul, Minn., arrives on the third day, 11:30 a.m.	
Salt Lake City, Utah, arrives day after tomorrow, 12:50 p.m.	
Toronto, Can., arrives on the third day, 9:25 p.m.	
Washington, D.C., arrives on the fourth day, 5 a.m.	
South-bound daily, except Sunday.	Air mail closing this afternoon at 4 p.m.
San Francisco, Cal., arrives tomorrow, 1:15 p.m.	
Fresno, Cal., arrives to-morrow, 3:15 p.m.	
Los Angeles, Cal., arrives to-morrow, 6:15 p.m.	
San Diego, Cal., arrives day after tomorrow, 5:30 a.m.	
For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.	

St. Princess Rathleen takes an excursion to Seattle Saturday, May 12, leaving at 9 a.m.

INTERVIEW BY JAPAN IS SCORED

Dispatch of Japanese Troops to Shantung in Chinese Area Criticized

Intervention in China, by the Japanese has been met with criticism by Chinese officials, according to passengers arriving on the Empress of Canada here yesterday morning.

Several of the newspapers in China have criticized the action of Japan in sending troops to Shantung, declaring it a challenge to the Chinese people. There have as yet been no anti-Japanese demonstrations.

In a statement issued to the Japanese press just before the Empress sailed for this port, Wang Jung-pao, Chinese minister to Japan expressed regret over the dispatch of these troops.

FOREIGNERS SAFE
Both the Northern and Southern military commanders have announced they would see to it that the lives and property of all foreigners in China would be adequately protected, the Chinese minister explained in this statement. For several months the lives of foreigners in China have been safe, even in places where Chinese troops are stationed.

Wang expressed the hope that the troops would soon be recalled. He did not believe the Japanese Government had any ulterior motive other than the protection of its nationals in China.

TOKIO CHINESE AGITATE
In Tokio several Chinese are agitating the tour of the world, having Government as a result of the intervention in China. Mass meetings have been held by Chinese belonging to the Nanking faction and the Kuomintang Chinese residing there have circulated manifestos and leaflets criticizing the action of the government.

In some parts of Shanghai the move is seen as a Japanese militarist plan to gain an advantage in the railway situation in Manchuria by favoring the Northern Government. The Japanese Government have made the statement that the move was an unavoidable measure of self-protection, by no means implying that the Chinese Government had any intention towards China and her people or interference with the military operations of either side.

EDUCATION NEED OF CHINA TO-DAY
"I have seen thirty-eight years, off and on, in China," said Samuel Bernstein, a passenger aboard the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada when that ship docked here from the Orient yesterday morning, "and I have never seen business conditions worse than they are now."

Mr. Bernstein, who has business interests in the Orient, is on his way to New York.

"I know that Japan and Russia are on more friendly terms than heretofore," said Mr. Bernstein. "Trade between the two countries is on the increase. But I do not know where it will help China."

Mr. Bernstein believes there is only one solution of the China trouble. That solution lies with the people themselves. Education, he says, can work wonders.

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COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver	
C.P.R. steamer daily at 2:15 p.m.	
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11:45 a.m.	
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 3 p.m.	
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 10:10 a.m. except Sunday.	
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 4:30 p.m.	
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 1:30 a.m. except Sunday.	
West Coast Route	
B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria at 11 o'clock, Prince Rupert, calling at points as far as Port Alice. Sailing on first eleven and twenty of each month.	
Portland Canal Route	
Canadian National: On Thursdays at 8 p.m. from Vancouver for Prince Rupert, B.C. and Hyder, Alaska.	
Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Hyder, Stewart, etc.	
Prince Rupert Route	
Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 7 a.m. and every Friday at 8 p.m. from Vancouver for Aleri Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.	
Canadian National: On Mondays and Thursdays at 8 p.m. from Vancouver.	
Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.	

TO ARRIVE AT VICTORIA
ARABIA MARU, China and Japan, O.S.K. Rihet Docks, May 7.
PRESIDENT PIERCE, China, Japan and Philippines, American Mail Line, Rihet Docks, May 7.
FARTHENA, Old Country, Donaldson Line, Rihet Docks, May 10.
PROTEUS, Honkong, Blue Funnel, Rihet Docks, May 15.
YO MARU, Honkong and Japan, N.Y.K. Rihet Docks, May 20.
LONDON MERCHANT, Old Country, Purvis Pacific, Rihet Docks, May 20.
NIAGARA, Honolulu, Suva, New Zealand and Australia, Canadian Australasian Line, Rihet Docks, May 20.
FORTH, Honkong, Blue Funnel, Rihet Docks, May 20.
TO SAIL FROM VICTORIA
TOYAMA MARU, China and Japan, N.Y.K. Rihet Docks, May 8.
SARIS, Honkong, Blue Funnel, Rihet Docks, May 12.
ARIZONA MARU, China and Japan, O.S.K. Rihet Docks, May 12.
TYNDAREUS, Honkong, Blue Funnel, Rihet Docks, May 15.
KADA MARU, China and Japan, N.Y.K. Rihet Docks, May 15.
EMPRESS OF CANADA, Japan, China and Philippines, C.P.R. Rihet Docks, May 17.
PRESIDENT PIERCE, China, Japan and Philippines, American Mail Line, Rihet Docks, May 17.
ARABIA MARU, China and Japan, O.S.K. Rihet Docks, May 24.
NIAGARA, Honolulu, Suva, New Zealand and Australia, Canadian Australasian Line, Rihet Docks, May 24.

CANADA ARRIVES AFTER FINE TRIP FROM ORIENT

Excellent Weather Feature of
Trip Across Pacific For Em-
press of Canada

Completing an uneventful trip from China, Japan and Philippine ports, the Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Canada arrived here yesterday morning. The ship enjoyed delightful weather all the way across. "It was the finest trip that I have known for this time of the year," stated Commander Samuel Robinson, R.N.R.

Besides 1,095 passengers, the Canada carried heavy freight and mail, the silk cargo alone being valued at nearly \$5,000,000. She carried 4,171 bales of raw silk for discharge at Vancouver and shipment overland to the East, and 425 cases of silk goods. She also had 4,600 tons of general cargo, 100 of which was left here, including shipments of pineapple, tea and rice.

Her mail shipment was heavy, the vessel carrying 642 bags in all, 54 of which were for the local post office. Five hundred and eighty-eight bags were for the United States, and 100 American mail twenty bags were sent on to Seattle early yesterday morning by seaplane, the plane having to make two trips to transport the extra heavy shipment. Two big trucks were necessary to take the Victoria mail from the Rihet piers to the Post Office.

Passengers on the Canada included 2,000 Filipino boys who left the ship at this port. A number of them remained at the Outer Docks and embarked on the steamer Ruth Alexander en route for southern ports of the United States. The Filipino will take positions as domestics in the United States.

TOURING BETTER SAYS BRAZILIAN

Commander de Barros Leaves
Farm For Travel: Made
South Atlantic Flight

When the old farm won't pay, forget about it and go traveling. That's the advice of Commander Joao Ribeiro de Barros, a rich and powerful farmer and enthusiastic globe-trotter.

De Barros, happy-go-lucky, the youthful Brazilian airman, famous for his South Atlantic flight two years ago, reached Victoria yesterday on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada after a pleasant jaunt around the Orient.

He said, "I have been to the Orient, it seemed, carried away by the photographs of the twenty-eight-year-old adventurer when final duties were exchanged."

De Barros' trip with two companions, from Brazil to Genoa, the first eastward crossing of the South Atlantic, was made at his own expense. "First, however, was too expensive to continue long, he observed. So, as his farm near Sao Paulo did not seem profitable either, he became a tourist."

For the future he had no plans, other than to take a train from Vancouver to-day for Quebec and New York, en route to Paris.

"More flights," he said, "Who knows? That is a matter for to-morrow and that's a long way off yet."

AUTO FERRY ROUTES

MILL BAY FERRY	
Perry Coad, running between Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, and Mill Bay, leaves Mill Bay at 10:30 a.m., 12 noon, 2:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 10:30 p.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 10:30 p.m.	
Vancouver-Nanaimo Service	
St. Princess Patricia leaves Nanaimo daily except Sunday at 7 a.m. and 2 p.m.	
St. Princess Patricia leaves Vancouver daily except Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.	
Sunday: St. Princess Patricia, Princess Alice of Princess Louise, leaves Vancouver at 10 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.	
SIDNEY-ANACORTES	
Ferry steamer City of Angeles leaves Victoria daily at 10:30 a.m. for Anacortes, O.C. daily at 8:30 a.m., calling at Roche Harbor, Orcas and Lopez Is.	
For steamer City of Angeles leaves Anacortes for Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) daily 1:00 p.m., calling at Lopez Is., Orcas and Roche Harbor.	

TIDE TABLE

18	0.52	8.09	8.23	1.015	23.7	7.119	5.54
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20	1.49	9.53	9.58	2.039	40.9	7.821	6.33
21	2.16	6.10	6.16	0.230	3.1	8.232	6.32
22	2.28	9.41	9.44	0.121	3.3	8.233	6.33
23	2.56	9.11	9.12	0.232	1.8	8.71	6.71
24	0.53	8.4	3.11	8.615	20.1	1.022	4.64
25	0.54	8.41	3.12	8.616	20.2	1.023	4.65
26	2.57	9.12	9.13	0.233	1.8	8.72	6.72
27	2.58	9.13	9.14	0.234	1.8	8.73	6.73
28	2.59	9.14	9.15	0.235	1.8	8.74	6.74
29	2.60	9.15	9.16	0.236	1.8	8.75	6.75
30	2.61	9.16	9.17	0.237	1.8	8.76	6.76
31	2.62	9.17	9.18	0.238	1.8	8.77	6.77
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33	2.64	9.19	9.20	0.240	1.8	8.79	6.79
34	2.65	9.20	9.21	0.241	1.8	8.80	6.80
35	2.66	9.21	9.22	0.242	1.8	8.81	6.81
36	2.67	9.22	9.23	0.243	1.8	8.82	6.82
37	2.68	9.23	9.24	0.244	1.8	8.83	6.83
38	2.69	9.24	9.25	0.245	1.8	8.84	6.84
39	2.70	9.25	9.26	0.246	1.8	8.85	6.85
40	2.71	9.26	9.27	0.247	1.8	8.86	6.86
41	2.72	9.27	9.28	0.248	1.8	8.87	6.87
42	2.73	9.28	9.29	0.249	1.8	8.88	6.88
43	2.74	9.29	9.30	0.250	1.8	8.89	6.89
44	2.75	9.30	9.31	0.251	1.8	8.90	6.90
45	2.76	9.31	9.32	0.252	1.8	8.91	6.91
46	2.77	9.32	9.33	0.253	1.8	8.92	6.92
47	2.78	9.33	9.34	0.254	1.8	8.93	6.93
48	2.79	9.34	9.35	0.255	1.8	8.94	6.94
49	2.80	9.35	9.36	0.256	1.8	8.95	6.95
50	2.81	9.36	9.37	0.257	1.8	8.96	6.96
51	2.82	9.37	9.38	0.258	1.8	8.97	6.97
52	2.83	9.38	9.39	0.259	1.8	8.98	6.98
53	2.84	9.39	9.40	0.260	1.8	8.99	6.99
54	2.85	9.40	9.41	0.261	1.8	9.00	7.00
55	2.86	9.41	9.42	0.262	1.8	9.01	7.01
56	2.87	9.42	9.43	0.263	1.8	9.02	7.02
57	2.88	9.43	9.44	0.264	1.8	9.03	7.03
58	2.89	9.44	9.45	0.265	1.8	9.04	7.04
59	2.90	9.45	9.46	0.266	1.8	9.05	7.05
60	2.91	9.46	9.47	0.267	1.8	9.06	7.06
61	2.92	9.47	9.48	0.268	1.8	9.07	7.07
62	2.93	9.48	9.49	0.269	1.8	9.08	7.08
63	2.94	9.49	9.50	0.270	1.8	9.09	7.09
64	2.95	9.50	9.51	0.271	1.8	9.10	7.10
65	2.96	9.51	9.52	0.272	1.8	9.11	7.11
66	2.97	9.52	9.53	0.273	1.8	9.12	7.12
67	2.98	9.53	9.54	0.274	1.8	9.13	7.13
68	2.99	9.54	9.55	0.275	1.8	9.14	7.14
69	3.00	9.55	9.56	0.276	1.8	9.15	7.15
70	3.01	9.56	9.57	0.277	1.8	9.16	7.16
71	3.02	9.57	9.58	0.278	1.8	9.17	7.17
72	3.03	9.58	9.59	0.279	1.8	9.18	7.18
73	3.04	9.59	9.60	0.280	1.8	9.19	7.19
74	3.05	9.60	9.61	0.281	1.8	9.20	7.20
75	3.06	9.61	9.62	0.282	1.8	9.21	7.21
76	3.07	9.62	9.63	0.283	1.8	9.22	7.22
77	3.08	9.63	9.64	0.284	1.8	9.23	7.23
78	3.09	9.64	9.65	0.285	1.8	9.24	7.24
79	3.10	9.65	9.66	0.286	1.8	9.25	7.25
80	3.11	9.66	9.67	0.287	1.8	9.26	7.26
81	3.12	9.67	9.68	0.288	1.8	9.27	7.27
82	3.13	9.68	9.69	0.289	1.8	9.28	7.28
83	3.14	9.69	9.70	0.290	1.8	9.29	7.29
84	3.15	9.70	9.71	0.291	1.8	9.30	7.30
85	3.16	9.71	9.72	0.292	1.8	9.31	7.31
86	3.17	9.72	9.73	0.293	1.8	9.32	7.32
87	3.18	9.73	9.74	0.294	1.8	9.33	7.33
88	3.19	9.74	9.75	0.295	1.8	9.34	7.34
89	3.20	9.75	9.76	0.296	1.8	9.35	7.35
90	3.21	9.76	9.77	0.297	1.8	9.36	7.36
91	3.22	9.77	9.78	0.298	1.8	9.37	7.37
92	3.23	9.78	9.79	0.299	1.8	9.38	7.38
93	3.24	9.79	9.80	0.300	1.8	9.39	7.39
94	3.25	9.80	9.81	0.301	1.8	9.40	7.40
95	3.26	9.81	9.82	0.302	1.8	9.41	7.41
96	3.27	9.82	9.83	0.303	1.8	9.42	7.42
97	3.28	9.83	9.84	0.304	1.8	9.43	7.43
98	3.29	9.84	9.85	0.305	1.8	9.44	7.44
99	3.30	9.85	9.86	0.306	1.8	9.45	7.45
100	3.31	9.86	9.87	0.307	1.8	9.46	7.46

The time used is Pacific Standard Time.
The 120th Meridian west. It is counted from the 120th meridian west at midnight. The flows for least service to the fishery are based on the water level of the 120th meridian west at low water. Water level is based on the 120th meridian west. The flow is based on the 120th meridian west.